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SCHLEY AGAIN BOMBARDS SANTIAGO

ANOTHER BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS

The American Fleet Once More Engages the Spaniards.

Three Thousand Insurgents Aid by Making an Attack Upon Land.

NEW YORK, June 2.---The World's Port au Prince special reports that the American fleet has again attacked Santiago, and that 3000 insurgents are attacking the city in the land side.

BLOODY FIGHT IS NOW WAGING.

NEW YORK, JUNE 2.—A SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD DATED PORT AU PRINCE, HAYTI, SAYS THAT THE UNITED STATES FLEET RENEWED THE ATTACK UPON SANTIAGO DE CUBA THIS MORNING. THE PEOPLE OF SANTIAGO, IT IS ADDED, ARE MOMENTARILY IN FEAR OF AN ATTACK FROM THE LAND SIDE WHERE THERE ARE SAID TO BE 3,000 INSURGENTS.

IT IS ALSO REPORTED THAT THE INSURGENTS ATTACKED THE CITY IN THREE COLUMNS AND A BLOODY FIGHT IS PROGRESSING.

BLUFFED THE DONS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KEY WEST, Fla., June 2.—The tug Leyden, which has been scouting along the northern coast of Cuba, had an adventure with three small Spanish gunboats at Cardenas yesterday.

The Leyden has been playing hide and seek with the enemy's gunboats for some time without an encounter. Yesterday morning before daybreak she ran into Cardenas harbor to a point within five miles of the city. There are two parallel lines of keys, and the Leyden had just skirted the outside line when she sighted three Spanish gunboats beyond the inner line, slowly moving toward the sea. The tug sent in a couple of shots from her six-pounders, but the Spaniards, evidently thinking she was backed up by big warships, promptly withdrew without replying to the challenge of the bold little craft, which scudded out to sea again.

The Leyden also confirms the story of the destruction of two blockhouses between Matanzas and Cardenas, an account of which was given yesterday by the gunboat Uncas, which had participated in the miniature bombardment. The Leyden lost a gaff during the fight, but was otherwise uninjured.

The Spaniards, it is announced, are filling Cardenas harbor with old hulks, boilers and other obstructions in order to prevent any effective entrance of the American ships.

HELPLESS PLIGHT OF THE SPANISH.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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NEW YORK, June 2.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: Rear Admiral Sampson has arrived off Santiago de Cuba, and according to his instructions, he at once relieved Commodore Schley in command of the entire force of vessels operating against Santiago de Cuba and the Spanish fleet, assigning that officer to the command of a division comprising the ships formerly attached to the flying squadron.

Fifteen war ships are at Admiral Sampson's disposal to pit against the six men-of-war flying the Spanish flag. They include the first-class battleships Iowa, Oregon, and Massachusetts, second-class battleship Texas, armored cruisers New York and Brooklyn, protected cruisers New Orleans, Marblehead, and Minneapolis, gunboat Nashville, torpedo boat destroyer Scorpion, dynamite cruiser Vesuvius, torpedo boat Porter, auxiliary cruisers Harvard, Yale and auxiliary gunboat Eagle.

With such a force blockading Santiago de Cuba, naval experts who have heretofore contended that Admiral Cervera had a fighting chance to escape now concede that his position is absolutely hopeless.

Concentration of such a formidable force at Santiago is regarded in some circles as naturally presaging important and immediate action by the American fleet. Careful inquiry, however, developed the fact that Rear Admiral Sampson, before he left Key West, was notified of the programme adopted by the Government to send troops to assist the naval vessels in the capture or destruction of the fleet, and confident that the army will be able to arrive at its destination in due season, there is no reason to believe that the officials have given Rear Admiral Sampson any further discretion than was accorded to Commodore Schley.

By this it is not meant that the Naval War Board has directed Rear Admiral Sampson not to bombard the fortifications or enter the channel, but he has been advised against such action, and knowing the cautiousness of the man, it is not believed he will cast this advice aside, unless he has reason to believe the adoption of another course is preferable.

It is frankly admitted by naval officials that the object of the collection of such a formidable force off Santiago and of the advice given to the naval commanders is their desire to prevent any of our ships from receiving irreparable injury.

General Shafter's troops cannot possibly come to the assistance of Rear Admiral Sampson before the beginning of next week, so that operations against the Spanish fleet may not be expected before that time, unless Admiral Cervera should determine to attempt to run the gauntlet of the American armoclads.

CHINA'S REGISTER NOW AMERICAN.

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WASHINTON, June 2.—At the opening of today's session the Senate passed a bill conferring American register upon the steamship China, one of the fleet of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. The China has been chartered by the War Department to transport troops to the Philippines. The China is now under the Hawaiian flag.

Consideration of the war revenue bill was resumed and Mr. Butler (Populist, N. C.) addressed the Senate. He regretted that the Finance Committee had not seen fit to send to the Senate a proper revenue bill. There were measures in the present bill that should never have been placed in a revenue bill, he said.

SCHLEY'S JUDGMENT WAS VINDICATED.

Despite Misleading Information He Runs Down the Spanish Fleet in Santiago Harbor.

The Channel Is Filled With Electric Mines and Guarded by Heavy Batteries. Cervera's Ships Are Identified.

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WITH THE UNITED STATES FLEET OFF SANTIAGO, DE CUBA, May 29, via Port Antonio, Jamaica, June 2.—Four weeks after the victory of Rear Admiral Dewey at Manila, Commodore Schley, in command of the flying squadron, had had his shrewdness and pertinacity rewarded by finding the Spanish fleet in the harbor of Santiago de Cuba. For ten days he had, in the face of conflicting rumors and some cases of alleged verifications, insisted that the ships of Spain were trying to make a landing on the southern coast of Cuba. This was evidently not in consonance with newspaper and official information, and his opinion was not given much public weight. In fact, it is believed that some days before he received correct news of the diagnosis of the situation he was ordered to proceed to the west. However, facts gathered in the meantime gave him more grounds for the belief as to his proximity to the Spaniards.

The captain of the British steamer Adula, who was interviewed at Cienfuegos, testified to seeing the Spanish fleet in the vicinity of Santiago de Cuba, evidently awaiting the opportunity to get in.

Captain Sigsbee of the St. Paul related how he had captured a Spanish coal vessel going into the harbor at Santiago de Cuba, and Commodore Schley argued from these two incidents that the fleet of Spain was awaiting in some haven near Santiago until such time as a visit, fruitless in its results, should be made there by the Americans, when the Spanish fleet would run into the harbor.

THE ST. PAUL ON SCOUT DUTY.

Commodore Schley determined to make that visit, and on Friday night he ran within six miles of the harbor. The St. Paul was then detached and sent back to keep out of sight, with instructions to be ready for a twenty-knot clip to bring news to the Commodore at any moment. From the American ships the Spanish batteries were in plain view; but, no doubt under preconcerted arrangement, they made no attempts to fire, and the flying squadron, after circling around, slowly steamed away in the direction of Key West, as its coal supply was getting short. There was a collier with the squadron, but there was no friendly harbor with smooth water, and there was serious danger of smashing the collier if an attempt was made to coal any of the battleships at sea.

Resourceful and daring, Commodore Schley showed forth, however, and at dark, with an original rigging to protect the ship, the Texas and the Marblehead began to coal. They worked all night, and at daybreak had filled their bunkers. By noon on Saturday the converted yacht Vixen was also coaled and at 1 o'clock, as nothing was heard from the St. Paul, the warships moved again toward Santiago.

When it had proceeded about fifteen miles the squadron circled in front of Morro Castle, but not close enough to get a view inside the harbor, guarding carefully against the possibilities of a torpedo boat attack.

At night the squadron lay off a point of land. In the morning, Sunday, the St. Paul came along, but did not report any knowledge of the Spanish fleet's whereabouts.

Consequently, Commodore Schley determined to find it himself and with the flagship he started toward the harbor.

The Spanish troops at the earthworks and batteries could be seen through glasses, preparing in haste to give the American ships as warm a reception as possible.

SPANISH SHIPS IDENTIFIED.

When about five miles from the batteries, the lookouts reported the masts of two ships, and Lieutenant Sears and Ensign McCauley made the first one to be the Cristobal Colon. Two torpedo boats were also made out and a second vessel of the Vizcaya class was seen.

All this time Commodore Schley was upon the afterbridge of the Brooklyn, making good use of his binoculars.

Arrived at the harbor entrance, when the ships were sighted from the deck, he turned his eyes from the glasses long enough to wink and said: "I told you I would find them. They will be a long time getting home."

The order to man the port batteries had been given, and the gunners, stripped to the waist in a temperature considerably over 100 degrees, awaited the impatient word to fire. But the Commodore decided not to waste ammunition on the batteries, and the men were disappointed for the time being. However, there was much quiet jubilation among the men over the prospects of a fight.

Commodore Schley showed his evenness of temperament by giving the Massachusetts coal of the collier within view of the forts and warships of Spain.

APPROPRIATE HYMN SUNG.

On the Texas, Captain Phillip went through with the day's routine, including church services, at which the men, with a refreshing directness of suggestion, sang "Pull for the Shore."

It was perfectly evident from the position of the Spanish warships on Sunday morning that they had either just entered the harbor, having learned of the supposed final departure of the American squadron, or had been in hiding up the bay, which is about nine miles long, and run down to get out early Sunday morning. In any case, it was excellent proof of the perfection of Commodore Schley's tactics, and showed that after weeks of weary following of clues furnished by strategic boards, in seven days he had succeeded in bottling up the Spanish fleet in one of its own harbors.

Less than two days before two supposedly Cuban pilots sent to Jamaica by the Government had informed the Commodore on the decks of the Brooklyn that no vessels of the size of the Spanish warships could go up the harbor, and this information had been politely received and the pilots were sent back to Kingston, although they desired to be landed in Cuba.

SANTIAGO CHANNEL MINED.

The latest maps of the harbor show a narrow but deep channel, fairly well protected and supposed to be mined. The narrow neck is not wide enough to allow more than one ship at a time to pass up, and the batteries, if not reduced, would be very destructive.

There are three batteries outside and three small ones inside, and between the entrance place and the city proper the distance is very nearly three miles up the bay from Morro Castle.

The latest information in the possession of the Government showed that at the narrowest point of entrance there are three lines of electrically worked mines, thirty in all. Besides this there are two new batteries just opposite Morro, forming, with the latter, a dangerous cross fire.

Just inside this are two batteries on the east shore, Estrella and Catalina. Cayo Smith, about half a mile up the bay and about in the center, has batteries of modern guns, as has also the Blanco battery, just near the city of Santiago itself.

About two miles west of Morro, inshore, is the Case battery, and there are also supposed to be some mines near Cayo Smith.

STRENGTH OF THE BATTERIES.

The armament of the various batteries is supposed to be as follows, not including the new earthworks, behind which there are more guns:

Morro—Four modern guns and ten eighteen and twenty-four pounders.

Blanco—Nine smooth bore eighteen and twenty-four pounders, of little account, and two small mortars.

The Estrella battery—Ten smooth bore guns.

Cayo Smith—Several modern guns.

The forts are mainly of brick and stone, constructed a century ago, although there are evidences of new earthworks being thrown up.

The only view into the harbor for any distance is from the southwest, and as the flagship sped along Lieutenant Sears noted that the cruiser Reina Mercedes, which has been partly dismantled, lay in the harbor, perhaps 1,500 yards inside of Morro Castle.

To the westward and further inside was the Spanish first class armored cruiser Almirante Oquendo, lying under the guns of Cayo Smith, and to the east of the starboard battery, looking down the narrow channel, was the Cristobal Colon, with room only for one ship at a time to pass.

It will be thus seen that it would be suicidal to attempt to force an entrance into the harbor, at least until the batteries are reduced, and that will consume a lot of ammunition.

BOTTLED UP.

At the same time, taking it for granted that the remainder of the Spanish fleet is still further up the harbor, it means that the warships of Spain are effectually bottled up so that they can do no harm.

Sunday at sunset found the squadron in battle line outside Santiago, the Brooklyn on the east of the line, the Massachusetts next to her, the Iowa and the Texas, which was on the extreme left of the Marblehead.

To leave Santiago the Spanish ships would have to pass this seemingly impregnable barrier.

Monday, May 30—The American fleet retained its position off Santiago, and no attempt was made during the night on the part of the Spanish fleet to get out of the harbor.

The United States cruiser New Orleans arrived this afternoon and joined the fleet, and the collier Sterling also joined the fleet.

A BATTLE EXPECTED

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CAPE HAYTIEN, June 2.—According to information received here from hitherto reliable sources a decisive engagement between the United States and Spanish forces is expected to take place at Santiago de Cuba today.

KANSAS TROOPS ORDERED SOUTH.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 2.—Captain James Rogers of the Twentieth United States Infantry, in charge of the recruiting station, which has been open here since May 9th, has been ordered to Mobile to join his regiment. Eighty-five recruits have been accepted and forwarded South and the regiment has now been filled.

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NO WORD FROM THE COMMODORE

Reasons Why Schley's Report Has Not Been Received at Washington.

The Attack on Santiago Merely a Feint to Prepare for a Big Battle.

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WASHINGTON, June 2.—It was stated authoritatively at the Navy Department at noon today that not a word had been received from Commodore Schley as to the engagement at Santiago. The officials express no surprise at this delay, and account for it on several grounds. In the first place, it is said that a fleet commander must wait until an engagement is completed before he makes a report, and that the press reports may give only the initial feature of an action, without waiting for its completion.

There are intimations that the press covers only a portion of the Commodore's movements, and that his movements were developed to a point where the results were not actually achieved. No report will be made on incidental phases of the great movement.

Moreover, it is pointed out that the fleet commander must communicate with all the commanders of ships of his fleet, in order to learn as to casualties, damage and all the circumstances of an engagement. When thus informed his report must be translated into the naval cipher code. When received here there is another delay in deciphering the dispatch. Altogether, it is said that the care in preparing these dispatches makes them about twenty-four hours behind the press advices.

It was thought that the absence of exact official information might embarass the work of the war of the War Board but officials of this department say this has not been the case.

The official intimation that action on Tuesday is only the initial phase of a more general movement is strengthened by the view that Commodore Schley would hardly attempt an attack unless he had some definite object in view. This object, it is believed, is to learn exactly as to the number of Spanish ships now within Santiago de Cuba harbor and also to develop the effectiveness of fire of the Spanish forts at the entrance of the harbor.

With these two points established beyond the slightest doubt, the campaign, military and naval, could be executed against Santiago with much greater certainty as to results. While the Navy Department has been satisfied for the last ten days that Admiral Cervera's fleet is inside Santiago harbor, Commodore Schley has not been able to make an official report establishing this fact beyond the shadow of a doubt. Of course, the location of this entire Spanish fleet, not excepting a single vessel, large or small, is of essential importance to the complete and intelligent formation of a strategic campaign.

It would remove the last element of hazard in sending troops from Tampa or Jacksonville.

It is of equal importance that the present strength of the shore batteries, their location, number of guns and a general effectiveness should be established.

These points can be learned only by a feint which will give the outward semblance of an assault upon the Spanish defences. When completed it is felt that it will serve as a basis for more complete advices as to the actual situation of affairs at Sanitago harbor than have been available at the Navy Department up to this time. It is in this light that Commodore Schley's movement is regarded as important, not so much from the destructive results achieved as from the opportunities it affords for developing all the resources at the command of the Spanish Admiral.

DAKOTA'S SONS ARE PATRIOTIC.

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ST. PAUL, Minn., June 2.—Private and official telegrams from Washington to Pierre and Bismarck, in the two Dakotas, announce that as both those States, under the first call, had greatly exceeded their quota they would not be called on for any volunteers on the second call. This causes general regret throughout both States, as North Dakota had more than enough companies now organized to increase its two battalions to two full regiments, and South Dakota has enough second call companies now ready to comprise more than a new regiment.

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PLANNING FOR CUBA'S BENEFIT.

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NEW YORK, June 2.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says: The State Department and the Attorney General, by direction of the President, are working hard in the preparation of a form of government for Cuba after the Spaniards are driven from the island.

In this connection a careful study has been made of the government Great Britain gave Egypt, for the purpose of ascertaining whether any part of it will apply temporarily or permanently to Cuba, with a view always to the ultimate absolute freedom of the island.

The Administration does not believe that Cuba, without assistance, can, immediately after peace is declared, organize and put into effect a stable government, and the President believes it to be his duty to help these people in their efforts.

To properly prepare for this emergency, a careful study of the Spanish system of government from the highest to the lowest degree in Cuba is being made, and the same attention is being paid to the primitive rules and laws of the so-called Republic of Cuba. The object of this research is to endeavor to eliminate all that is objectionable and to adopt all that will be useful.

It is understood to be the intention of the President to place a Military Governor in each province in Cuba, who will be subordinate to a Governor General of the island.

It is possible that the President may ask aid from Congress in establishing a stable form of government in Cuba, but, as a matter of detail, this has not been decided upon.

As soon as the attempt is made to establish a government in Cuba, a corps of engineers will be put to work to construct railroads, telegraph lines, telephones, to survey for water works for cities, or place in order those which now exist, and to institute a complete modern system of sewage in Havana and other large cities. Everything possible to aid Cuba to recover from its devastated condition and become a producing nation will be done by this Government. Now an effort is being made to have a complete plan for these operations ready to be put into effect as soon as peace is declared.

INSTRUCTIONS OF SCHLEY IRONCLAD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—A dispatch to the World from Washington says:

Ever since the administration got news that Cervera was well bottled and well corked at Santiago, a large land and sea expedition to destroy or capture his fleet and occupy Santiago has been planning. Schley, with a sufficient but not powerful squadron was stationed at Santiago to prevent Cervera from escaping and from letting provisions into him. It being known at Washington that supplies of coal and provisions were on the way to him there, Schley's orders were substantially these:

Not to try to take Santiago or to reduce the fortifications.

Not to engage Cervera, if he should try to escape until he was clear of assistance from the guns of the forts.

Not to let him escape or let supplies or re-enforcements get in to him from the sea.

Not to let the Spaniards make any repairs or additions to the fortifications at the mouth of the harbor.

Ever since the fiasco at San Juan—of which the last has not yet been heard, by the way—the administration has been most anxious that there shall be no more half-backed bombardments to be heralded abroad as repulses and Spanish victories. Indeed, so anxious was the administration that it gave Schley a fleet only strong enough to control Cervera, and not strong enough to tempt him, no matter how provoking the circumstances, into trying to imitate Dewey.

On Tuesday morning the Spaniards at Santiago, who have been growing more and more restless and nervous as the depressing facts of their position took effect, began to repair and strengthen the fortifications on Morillo Point, to the right of the entrance to the harbor. Schley soon discovered what was going on and at once prepared to stop the work, as his orders clearly permitted him to do.

When Morro Castle was in ruins and abandoned, when the last gun in the batteries near it was silenced, Schley gave the signal to draw off, and not until then. He had done exactly what he came for. He paid no attention to the fire of the forts and batteries to the left of the harbor, as no work was being done on them.

While Schley's squadron as it stands is perhaps strong enough to force the harbor and capture Cervera, still he would not think of attempting it. The administration expects to capture Santiago shortly, but the assault will be made by all of our battleships, new monitors and heavy cruisers, the idea being that it is folly to take chances of partial failure when with ships that are available and are not in the least needed elsewhere the sea attack can be made an assured triumphant success. The land attack will be made at the same time. The Americans will be aided by the insurgents who are gathering in force near Santiago and are in daily, or rather nightly, communication with Schley.

INVASION MAY HAVE BEGUN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—A Washington special to the Herald says: It is confidently expected that the first military expedition into Cuba under General Shafter will invest Santiago de Cuba and attack Admiral Cervera's fleet from the land early next week. Rear Admiral Sampson has concentrated a formidable fleet of armorclads, protected cruisers and torpedo craft off Santiago and has arranged for a strong convoy of lighter vessels to accompany the troops, so that there will be no escape for Admiral Cervera by sea and operations can be commenced as soon as the military expedition has been landed.

There is a strong probability that the army has already left American soil and is fairly on its way to the point of debarkation near Santiago de Cuba.

Strict orders have been issued by General Greely, Chief Signal Officer, to the press censors at Tampa and other Southern points, not to allow any news relative to the embarkation of troops to be telegraphed until several days after the men have sailed.

The expedition to Santiago de Cuba will carry a plentiful supply of arms and ammunition to supply the insurgent army that is to form a junction with the American forces at the place of landing. Although little real fighting can be expected from the Cuban patriots, they will afford excellent guides through the wild Cuban country and can give valuable information as to the lay of the land over which the field pieces and siege guns will have to be transported to points from which they can command the city and harbor.

The main invasion of Cuba will probably not be delayed until fall, but the troops will leave the United States as soon as all the preparations for such an expedition can be made.

This army will be of overwhelming strength and will consist principally of volunteers. The authorities are now taking steps to provide all the necessary transports for this army and it is confidently expected that the invasion will be begun within a short time.

SIXTEEN SHIPS IN SANTIAGO BAY.

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KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 2.—A dispatch from Port Antonio says that the British second-class cruiser Indefatigable returned there from Santiago de Cuba yesterday. The cruiser had been ordered to Santiago to assist the wounded in the expected naval battle. The ship's surgeon was on leave of absence, and a government medical officer was taken.

From the bridge of the Indefatigable sixteen ships were counted through binoculars in Santiago bay. This is supposed to be the full strength of Cervera's fleet, and some of the sixteen are probably merchantmen.

Six American ships lay off Santiago harbor and ten were circling around. Commodore Schley moved the blockading fleet close in shore.

On Sunday Admiral Cervera sent out two torpedo boats, one of them the Pluton. After exchanging shots with the Brooklyn, Commodore Schley's flagship, and the battleship Texas, they returned to the harbor.

The Indefatigable is under orders again to proceed to Santiago, but she is waiting for more surgeons.

POWERS BEGGED TO HELP SPAIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 2.—The Madrid correspondent of the Morning Post says:

Senor Leon y Castillo, the Spanish Ambassador to France, at his recent conferences with the Queen Regent and Sagasta, was officially charged to ask the Powers to intervene to obtain peace on such terms as would protect the amour propre of Spain.

The Ambassador will urge for a reason for such intervention the danger of a loss of trade to the Powers themselves in the event of the continuance of the war. Political and diplomatic circles in Madrid believe that Castillo will succeed.

VICTIM OF SPAIN'S CRUELTY ESCAPES.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The Times publishes the following:

Juan Galberto Gomez, a Cuban revolutionist, who had escaped from the Spanish prison in the penal colony of Ceuta, recently surprised the members of the Cuban Junta by walking into their headquarters. The Junta members decided to give him a banquet this week.

Senor Gomez was formerly editor of a magazine in Havana, and for espousing the cause of Cuban liberty he was lodged in jail. That was in 1895, and later he was released under the general amnesty granted by the Spanish government. After this formality had been complied with, the Spanish government arrested him again on charges of having furnished arms and ammunition to the insurgents. He was convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for life. He was not even allowed to correspond with any of his friends. He managed, however, to get a piece of paper and a pen and used his own blood as ink to write a letter to his wife. The letter was smuggled out of prison and reached his wife. Gomez succeeded in making his escape from prison last March and by a circuitous route reached New York.

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BANKRUPTCY MENACES SPAIN.

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NEW YORK, June 2.—A dispatch to the World from Madrid says: Spain is fast drifting to a forced paper currency.

The run upon the Bank of Spain has assumed such proportions that people form in long lines hours before the offices open in Madrid and the provincial branches.

The bank gives small notes in exchange for 1,000 or 500 pesetas notes, only exchanging for silver pesetas or dollars the 25, 50 or 100 pesetas notes.

The Government has vainly tried to stop the run by prohibiting the exporting of silver and promising to coin millions of pesetas daily, which it can not do until it increases the machinery of the mint.

Every retail store, market and tobacco stall rejects the notes, and the money changers charge 5 per cent discount.

The Bank of Spain has $20,000,000 in silver to meet the $280,000,000 in notes in circulation.

Tax collections were much slower this spring than heretofore, and the new taxes are expected to produce so little that the Government has decided to raise money by negotiating a foreign loan in France, pledging the principal monopolies, the Ministers of War, of Marine and of the Colonies having declared that it is absolutely necessary to have $27,000,000 monthly.

INVASION AFTER CERVERA'S DEFEAT

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TAMPA, June 2.—There is but little change in the situation here. It can be stated positively no troops have been embarked at this point, and until definite and official news is received from the fleets of Sampson and Schley, it is the generally expressed opinion among the army officers that no movement of troops from here in the direction of Cuba will be ordered. The powerful fleet of Admiral Cervera is still much of a factor. It is stated that there is no intention on the part of the authorities to assume more risks than absolutely necessary in sending a big fleet of practically unarmed and therefore nearly helpless transports into Cuban waters. For this reason, until the Spanish fleet is disposed of, or until a sufficient number of United States warships can be spared to insure protection to the transports from Tampa to their destination, no move from here is expected. When this will be is uncertain, but although nothing official can be learned, it is not believed that any large movement will take place in the immediate future.

TROOPS LEAVE CHICKAMAUGA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., June 2.—The Third Pennsylvania, First Illinois, Fifth Maryland and Sixty-ninth New York regiments of infantry left Chickamauga today for Tampa.

The First Illinois has been here since May 19th. In this regiment there are no raw recruits. All the men are thorough soldiers and are ready to move at once.

Colonel H. T. Turner is in command. The Sixty-ninth New York has been here since May 25th, the Fifth Maryland since May 21st, and the Third Pennsylvania since May 23.

Private E. L. Thompson, son of Captain Thompson of the Fifth Maryland, was drowned last night.

The excellent band of the Third Illinois Regiment is out with new and costly instruments today, the gift of the Chicago Daily News.

Immense amounts of supplies continue to come in, but the work of handling them has been systematized, and there is no confusion. Colonel Sharp of the Quartermasters' Department, estimates that the cost of feeding the army is $7,000 per day.

CONDENSED WAR NEWS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TAMPA, Fla., June 2.—It can be stated positively that no United States troops have left here for Cuba.

REPORT OF THE BLOCKADE.

KEY WEST, June 2.—Reports from the blockade show that all is quiet there, ashore and afloat.

SPANISH STORY.

LONDON, June 2.—The Spanish Ambassador here contends that Cristobal Colon is the only important Spanish warship at Santiago de Cuba.

NO NEWS AT HAYTI.

PORT AU PRINCE, Hayti, June 2.—No war news was received here this morning.

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THE RESTORMEL'S COAL CONDEMNED.

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KEY WEST, June 2.—In the United States District Court today a decision was rendered condemning the cargo of coal in the British ship Restormel seized Monday. Judge Locke's decision released the Restormel.

FANITA'S MISSION.

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CAPE HAYTIEN, Hayti, June 2.—The Clyde line steamer Fanita, Captain Waters, arrived here yesterday, half empty, bringing provisions for the navy, which she landed at Matthewtown, Great Bahamas. She slipped away at about 10 o'clock last night with between seven and fifteen Dominicans added to her crew. She was to touch at Monte Cristo, Dominican Republic, or at the keys just outside, to fill up the empty portion of her hold. She has on board Chris Roberts of Great Inagua, the most famous pilot of the West Indies.

The captain of the Fanita, when that vessel was here, said the portion of her cargo which was not landed consisted of coal, but there is good reason to suppose that it is something far from coal.

Proof that the Fanita is under serious suspicion was afforded this morning by the conduct of the Spanish consul here. He denounces the taking on board the steamer of Spanish-speaking roustabouts and the sudden sailing of the vessel without notice and without permission of the Dominican Consul. The Spanish Consul classes this as a great outrage and an act of piracy, and a formal protest has been entered with the Hayden authorities.

The Spanish Consul telegraphs to his diplomatic chief at Santo Domingo this morning about the Fanita.

There are large numbers of Cubans in Dominica who eagerly desire to return to Cuba and take part in the war, and the correspondent here of the Associated Press is informed that the Spaniards of this place believe that it may be part of the mission of the Fanita to afford these Cubans transportation and at the same time furnish them with arms and ammunition.

DAKOTA TROOPS AT SACRAMENTO.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, JUNE 2.—This morning 1,008 soldiers from South Dakota came into Sacramento on their way to San Francisco. The troops came in three train loads, following each other at intervals of about forty-five minutes. They were in command of Colonel A. S. Frost, Lieutenant-Colonel Lee Stover, and Major C. A. Howard.

SCHLEY WILL BE REINFORCED.

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KINGSTON, Jamaica, June 2.—Advices received here from Port Antonio today say that Commodore Schley has been notified by the Navy Department that the battleship Oregon, the first-class armored cruiser New York, another cruiser and two colliers have been sent to Santiago de Cuba.

HAWAII OUR ALLY

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The naval officials now calculate that Hawaii has become an ally of the United States in the present war with Spain, and at this moment our Government is responsible for the protection of Hawaii and from the consequences of their friendship for the United States.

According to the calculations of the officials of the Navy Department the United States cruiser Charleston arrived at Honolulu last Saturday. She has probably completed the taking aboard of a full supply of coal and is now again on her way westward, bound for the Philippines. The coal was accumulated at Honolulu by the United States Consul, General Haywood, and in allowing the Charleston to take on a supply to carry on operations against Spanish territory, the government of Hawaii has cast away all semblance of neutrality in the present contest and has thrown her fortunes with the United States; for unless we protect her, she is subject to punishment at the hands of Spain. Moreover, the offense against neutrality is to be repeated, for it is said today the advance guard of transports carrying troops to Manila are entering Honolulu harbor to replenish their coal supply.

THE OREGON JOINS SCHLEY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ON BOARD THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCH BOAT DAUNTLESS, May 29, via Key West, June 2, 11:40 A. M.—The United States battleship Oregon joined the fleet this morning, finishing the most remarkable long-distance cruise in the history of modern ironclads. Her re-inforcement of the fleet was an unusual achievement.

At a speed of fifteen knots she swept in a circle through the fleet to a point opposite the flagship, solid ranks of white-clad, cheering sailors manning the sides of each vessel as she passed.

The first news of the Oregon's arrival at Key West was brought to the squadron by the Associated Press dispatch boat, soon after sunrise. The crews were on the lookout, and when, at almost noon, the Oregon loomed up, she was greeted with "wagging" from ship to ship.

She carried "a bone in her teeth" as she piled up the white water on each side of her bow.

"Fifteen knots, if it's a mile," was the verdict as she raced in on the home stretch on her long journey, and watches held on her as she approached confirmed it. She had a decided list to port, from hastily filled bunkers that there had been no time to trim since dashing into Key West for fuel and out again. But her short stay there spoke volumes for the mechanism of a Pacific built ship which could do a 1,300 mile run, throw in fresh coal and steam out to what might be a battleground without stopping to even tighten a crank pin.

The dispatch boats lying outside the squadron raised their flags as the Oregon bore down between them, while her officers and men waved their hands and caps were silently lifted. The big fighter slowed down to a majestic pace and then the noise arose. Rank on rank of white-clad sailors broke into yells, which came over half a mile against the wind, and the crew of the Oregon sent them back with interest.

Then the ships, each white with men, renewed their greeting and each vessel of the fleet joined in again as the Oregon came to the flagship and the Indiana; the latter's band played "The Washington Post March." Then the exchange of visits began and the officers and men were welcomed by all.

SINEWS OF WAR.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—The Secretary of War today sent to Congress a request for appropriations for $53,579,359. These appropriations will be used for the equipment and maintenance until January 1, 1899, of the 75,000 volunteers recently called for by the President. The several items are as follows:

Pay for the volunteers, $14,030,881; subsistence of the army, $5,147,477; regular supplies of the quartermaster's department, $2,500,000; horses for cavalry and artillery, $1,000,000; barracks and quarters, $1,500,000; army transportation, $14,000,000; clothing for the army, $13,000,000; contingencies of the army, $50,000; equipment of engineer troops, $25,000; signal service of the army, $37,000; civilian assistants to engineer officers, $20,000.

NO NEWS AT THE WHITE HOUSE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—That there was a total lack of official news at the White House of the developments of the war situation was evident at 11 A. M. today, after Secretary Alger went to see the President. He spent only a few minutes, and on emerging said he came over to see if there was any news, and announced there was nothing of significance. He then drove off, saying he would leave for Philadelphia immediately.

SICKNESS ON THE SAN FRANCISCO.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BOSTON, June 2.—The United States cruiser San Francisco arrived today with ten of her seamen sick. The men were transferred to the naval hospital at Chelsea. This is the second time during a week that the coast patrol cruiser has landed sick men here. The sailors on the San Francisco have been accustomed to a warmer climate, and it is thought the weather here during the last twenty days has laid twenty-two of them up, with measles or serious colds.

FAKE APPEAL TO GERMANS

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, June 2.—The German press strongly criticises an alleged appeal published in the newspapers generally and purporting to emanate from the "United States Department of National Coast Defenses," urging German veterans residing in Germany or elsewhere who have become citizens of the United States either to "enlist in the service of the United States or else contribute to the war funds."

Andrew D. White, United States Ambassador to Germany, today published a statement setting forth that the appeal is either a fraud or a joke, as no such department and no such appeal has been authorized by the United States Government.

YOUNG FITCH ATTEMPTS MURDER.

A Son of the Silver Tongued Takes a Shot at an Attorney.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

STOCKTON, Cal., June 2.—Thomas Fitch Jr., son of Thomas Fitch, the "silver tongued orator," attempted to murder Charles Fairall, attorney for Mrs. Fitch in her divorce suit. Fitch is in jail and Fairall is at the Receiving Hospital, slightly wounded.

A Pleasant Social Tonight.

This evening there will be a grand social and dance in Fraternal Hall, on Twenty-third avenue, given by Golden Link Lodge of Rebekahs. An excellent programme has been arranged, and a splendid time is promised the patrons and friends of the organization, because the committee in charge has had a great deal of experience in the management of such undertakings.

Violated an Ordinance.

Block Emmett, a stage carpenter, was arrested today for posting bills on awnings in violation of the city ordinance.

FOUR HOURS WHEN DEATH SEEMED NEAR.

Account of the Fire on the Steamer Moana Tuesday.

Six Men Succumbed While Fighting Flames in the Hold.

M. A. Cheek of 672 Eighteenth street was a passenger from Honolulu on the steamship Moana, which was on fire Tuesday evening 215 miles west of the Golden Gate. Mr. Cheek says of the fire:

"About 4:30 Tuesday evening the passengers noticed smoke coming from the forward ventilators and also that the ventilators themselves were covered with sacking. Another strange fact that impressed the passengers was the concern expressed by the crew.

"Soon smoke began to pour into the forward saloon and then it was known that there was a fire in the hold.

"The fire hose was rigged, the hatch opened and the cargo broken into. Basket after basketful of smoke-exuding cotton was hoisted out and piled upon the starboard side of the forward deck.

"At length the fire was reached, the last lot of cotton brought to the deck bursting into flames as it felt the force of the breeze. As it flamed up the basket was overturned and all of the cotton previously saved was ignited.

"The flames leaped as high as the bridge and for a few moments the danger of igniting the load of bananas packed in dried banana leaves upon the hurricane deck was imminent.

"The fire was extinguished after four hours of hard work. Six of the crew were overcome by the smoke and heat in the hold, but all were resuscitated."

ALTERATIONS OF BUSINESS HOUSES.

Several Important Changes on Fourteenth and Broadway.

Extensive changes will soon be made in the Delger block on Fourteenth and Broadway. Taft & Pennoyer who are the heaviest lessees of the block notified Frederick Delger Jr., recently of their need for more room. Mr. Delger who is acting as agent for his mother who owns the property, made arrangements to accommodate the firm and the result will be an alteration in the business firms situated around the Fourteenth street corner. Champlin's Shoe Store, Flint's Drug Store and Ellasen's Book Store will have to go into new quarters while their old stores will be occupied by Taft & Pennoyer who will thus gain an additional forty foot frontage on Broadway beside having more room along Fourteenth street. The firm intends to make its store similar to the White House in San Francisco and will be given plate glass show windows all along Fourteenth street as well as Broadway.

Mr. Delger has made arrangements for the accommodation of the firms who will be dislocated by the improvements. Taft & Pennoyer will release the southern part of their store which will then be occupied by Champlin's Shoe Store. The Log Cabin Bakery is the only place which will be changed and this firm will move out and its place will be occupied by Flint's Drug Store. All the expense of moving the stock of the two firms will be borne by Mr. Delger. Mr. Ellasen's store and the flower and boot stand were sublet from Mr. Champlin but the latter will probably move down to Thirteenth and Broadway.

Oakland Engineer Corps.

A meeting for the organization of an engineer corps will take place at Becker's Hall tonight. Active service in the Philippines is assured to this corps as soon as its roster is filled.

Sold Liquor Without a License.

Pauline Bockelman and Mrs. C. Higgins were arrested today by Deputy Marshal Rawson of Berkeley for selling liquor in that city without a license.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

LOST—May 31st, one pair gold spectacles. Finder will receive reward by returning same to W. L. Achard, People's Express office, 950 Broadway.

YOUNG WOMAN wants situation to do housework or chamber work. 416 Eighth st, room 17.

WANTED—Situation; office work or salesman; either city or traveling; references. Address W. E. W., box 5, this office.

GOOD KITCHEN STOVE, $8; walnut crib, $3; baby carriage, $2; 25 feet of new garden hose with couplings complete, $1.75; lot of garden tools cheap; bargains in cheap bedroom and kitchen furniture. Call at 825 San Pablo ave.

SUNNY FURNISHED ROOMS with good board; no children; references. 1402 Franklin st.

A RESPECTABLE German widow lady wishes to take gents' washing and mending. Address 463 Hobart st.

FOR RENT CHEAP—Two tents 10x12. 607 Park ave., East Oakland.

WANTED—A first class cook, wages $30; a girl for general housework, wages $25; a competent nurse for infants, woman preferred, wages $25. Call at Marvin's Hair Store, 1159 Washington st.

WANTED—A burro, by a party going to the Yosemite; will hire or buy him. Apply 1340 Kirkham st.

LOST—A pocket book at Eighth and Madison sts. Finder please return to Maison Piedmont Restaurant and receive reward.

ATTENTION, VOTERS.

Fruitvale School District election June 3, 1898. Vote for

T. O. CRAWFORD

For School Trustee. Look out for the best interest of our schools.

THE TRIAL OF HARRY THOMAS IS COMMENCED.

An Unprejudiced Jury Difficult to Secure.

Defendant Well Represented By Prominent Attorneys.

The trial of Harry W. Thomas was commenced in Department No. 4 of the Superior Court this morning.

The chief witness for the prosecution is Robert McKenzie, who substantiated the testimony against Thomas before the body which indicted him. Officers Hamerton, Curtiss and Sergeant Peterson will also appear as prosecuting witnesses. For the defense, Major Wood, Messrs. Porter, McDonald, Crocks and Dixon, members of the Grand Jury, will be called to the stand. Ex-Chief of Police Lloyd has also been subpoenaed to testify.

The bulk of this first day of the trial has been spent in securing a jury to try the case. A very rigid examination was made to obtain an entirely unbiased set of jurors. Owing to the wide publication of the charge brought against the Mayor's son at the time of the indictment the lawyers found difficulty in securing men free from prejudice.

Attorneys M. C. Chapman, Emil Nusbaumer and A. L. Frick are representing the defendant. Deputy District Attorney A. A. Moore, Jr., is conducting the prosecution.

It is expected that the trial will spread over several days.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the attorneys engaged in the trial of Harry W. Thomas appeared to continue with the selection of a jury. The jurors were in the box and Judge Ellsworth sat upon the bench; but the defendant did not appear. Patiently the Court awaited his arrival until a quarter past two o'clock, when he said to the attorneys for the defense: "Gentlemen, have you any idea as to the whereabouts of your client?"

"We have not, your Honor," responded Attorney Nusbaumer. "We are expecting him any minute."

With patience the Judge watched the clock dial. He saw the hands pass by the half hour mark, and still the defendant did not appear. But no word was spoken. A secret conference was held by the attorneys, Judge Nusbaumer spoke with the Court, and at length the three attorneys resorted to the telephone on a bit of detective work. At 2:40 o'clock Attorney Nusbaumer notified the Judge that Thomas would appear in a very few minutes, and thus the Court again resigned himself in patience.

At precisely forty-five minutes past the appointed hour, Thomas came into court. Judge Ellsworth said as the defendant took his seat:

"Mr. Thomas, the Court would like to know why you have thus detained it." "I do not know, your Honor," replied Thomas. "But we must know," continued the Court. "I was not aware that I was detaining the Court," finally answered the defendant. "Well," said the Judge, "you be very careful and see that the occurrence is never repeated." With this parting injunction the defendant sat down, and the impaneling of the jury proceeded.

Up to 3 o'clock but seven jurors had been examined.

ELECTION AT FRUITVALE.

A School Trustee to Be Chosen for the District Tomorrow.

The election of a school trustee for the Fruitvale School District will be held to-morrow. The polls will be open from 8 A. M. to 7:30 P. M. The opposing candidates for the office are T. O. Crawford and W. S. Dunlevy, and a hard battle is being waged by the supporters of the candidates.

Mr. Crawford at present seems to be in the lead, but Mr. Dunlevy has the advantage of having been in the field for quite a while and a lively time at the polls is anticipated.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO HOWARD CHRISTIE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

EUREKA, Cal., June 2.—Howard L. Christie, who met with an accident last week in the woods whereby his foot was severed from the body by being caught in the blight of a chain, died last night as a result of the injury. Christie was a foreman for Dolbeer & Carsons in the logging woods, and was one of the best known men in Humboldt county.

MARRIED.

HAYGOOD—CROWELL—In this city, May 31, 1898, by Rev. H. D. Brasefield, Irving Haygood of Chicago and Lillian Crowell.

GILBERT—OSBORNE—In this city, June 1, 1898, by Rev. H. D. Brasefield, Charles Gilbert of Alameda and Anna Osborne.

GERMEA

...FOR BREAKFAST.

LIVE WORKERS LEND THEIR FIRST AID.

Found a Volunteer's Wife in Great Need.

Money and Provisions Are Coming in to Help the Cause.

The Young Ladies' Relief Society for the Aid of the Wives and Children of Volunteers, has stepped into the field of charitable work and rendered it first material assistance to a deserving relative of a United States soldier.

The case of Mrs. Spofford in Berkeley which went before the Supervisors Monday was called to the attention of Miss Irene Baker, Miss Grace Gorrill, Miss Bertha McElrath, Miss Florence Sharon, Miss Edith Selby, Miss Jean Howard, Miss Jennie Crellin Tuesday night, and yesterday the poor woman is in the young ladies' care, supplied with clothing, medicines, money, and someone to watch over her. Mrs. Spofford will want nothing further from the county. The young women engaged in the work have established a treasury which is already gaining fair-sized proportions, and if the support received to date is a fair criterion, the organization will soon have a large sum at its disposal. New members are being taken in and every preparation for the accomplishment of a broad charity has been commenced. Miss Howard will have one particular branch of the work to look after and Miss Gorrill, with the Misses Baker, Sharon, Selby, Allen, McElrath, Crellin, and others will each have important work to do. Names and addresses of deserving families are being gathered, and a large quantity of clothing and provisions is soon to be dispensed.

The young ladies have made every preparation to carry on a work similar to that accomplished by the San Francisco society recently formed at the Occidental Hotel in San Francisco, and have been highly complimented in their efforts by Major Hooper, who on Saturday last expressed his encouragement to the young ladies and welcomed them to the work. The organization is to remain thoroughly independent, working among deserving families with great vigor.

It is hardly to be expected that its members will merge their order now with the Red Cross Society, as they went into the field long before the idea of helping deserving families was taken up by the Red Cross ladies, and perfected every arrangement they could to carry on the good work effectively.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

WEDNESDAY, June 1, 1898.

DEEDS.

May 20, 1898—Mary Callaghan, wife Jeremiah, to S F Savings Union, surrender of 472 d 225 SE Webster and 6th sts E 150 x S 100 blk 57, Okd; grant.

April 4, 1898—Ann Sommer to Harry H. Heywood, S Cedar st 235 W Shattuck av W 50 S 140.30 E 50 N 141 to beg being lot 11 blk A, Golden Gate Rd, Bkly; gift.

July 2, 1891—Harry W and Jeanne S Davis to Robert and Ottilie Haupstuck, lots 24 and 25 corrected map Electric Hts tract, Bklyn Tp; $10.

May 31, 1898—Robert and Ottilie Haupstuck to Francisco S and Maria E Seares, same, Bklyn Tp; $10.

April 15, 1898—Edward and Jemima Henshaw to Jacob Heyman, lots 40 to 43, Alvin tract, Bklyn Tp, QCD; $10.

Jan. 25, 1898—Chas Lehn to Oakland Loan and Invest Co., SE Harrison av 125 SW from SW line county road Oakland to San Leandro SW 74.40 SE 120 NE 108.10 NW 124.07 to beg being lots 17 and 18 blk C, Huntington tract, Bklyn Tp; $10.

Dec. 1, 1897—Fred and Nina Sandelin to Louise T Graff, lots 1 and 2 blk 6, Bellevue tract map 1 San Leandro, Eden Tp; $1.

May 25, 1898—F Mathiesen to John H. Wise, S line county road survey No. 818 leading from Livermore to Stockton at NE cor lands of Nevin, th NE 169-6 SE 164 SW 182 NW 82-6 to beg, town of Livermore, Murray Tp, QCD; $8.

May 20, 1898—Ellen S. Gordon to Mary E. Knowles, all int in estate Josiah N. Knowles, deceased; $10.

June 1, 1898—Edna F. Beckett to John P. Beckett, S 38th st 166 W Grove st W 50 x S 120-3 being lot 12 blk C, ppty Central Land Co, Okd; gift.

May 25, 1898—A. R. and Ella M. Dow to Francis B. Sprague, N Russell st 200 E Lowell st E 40 N 181.77 W 40 S 182.93 to beg being lot 25 blk 29 of Smith's sub ptn Matthews tract, Bkly; $10.

June 1, 1898—Chas. L., by atty, and Lilly F. Tilden to Rebecca L. Wurts, wife M. L, N Bancroft way 277.23 E Choate st W 45 N 120 E 45 S 120 to beg, being ptn plot 71 Ro V and D Peralta, Bkly; $10.

April 25, 1898—Mountain View Cemetery Assn to Geo. A. and Agnes Wigney, lot 69 in plot 17 Mountain View Cemetery, Okd Tp; $52.

May 31, 1898—Caroline E. Dwinelle to Alice M Chapman, lots 146 and 148 to 156 blk 194, Encinal Park tract; lot 10 in blk 224 of Woodward's survey, Ala; grant.

MORTGAGES.

May 31, 1898—Henry Prammeto August Klahn, NW Seminary av 27 NE Noble st NE 54 NW 123.67 SW 54, th to beg being lots 67 and 68 map of sub lots 54 to 57, 65 to 68 Kingland tract, 8 per cent, Bklyn Tp; $325.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

June 1, 1898—Rebecca and Herman Drucker to Du Ray Smith and Fredk Shoo, trus John J. and J. Josephine Shoo, SW E-21st st and 23d av W 101 S 33-4 E to W 23 av N to beg blk D, sub 50 Associates tract, E Okd; $1,500.

June 1, 1898—John P. Beckett to same, S 38th st 166 W Grove st W 60 x S 120-3 blk C, map of ppty Central Land Co, Okd; $2,250.

May 27, 1898—John A. Henninger to Thos. Crellin and W. G. Pulmenteer, trs of Central Bank, NE 12th and Market E 66-9 N 100 W 84-10 S 101-6 to beg blk 182, Okd; $4,000.

RELEASES.

Marginal—Z. T. Gilpin to Frank O. Erwin, 575 m 67, lot 27 and S ½ lot 26 blk B, Fruitvale Station tract, Bklyn Tp, $1,200.

May 25, 1898—Lizzie de Verner to W. B. Stone, 509 m 349, lot 14, map of Pacific Theological Seminary tract, Okd, $1,450.

May 31, 1898—Wm. Lewis to Mary Callaghan, 424 m 309, SE Webster and 6th sts E 150 x S 100, blk 57, Okd, $600.

May 31, 1898—A. F. Manhan and Jose F. Pedro to Mancel da Costa, 489 m 433, NW 20th av 56 SW E-21st st SW 28 x NW 100 blk 58, San Antonio, E Okd, $305.

May 31, 1898—A. F. Martell to Rebecca and Herman Drucker, 548 m 235 $750, 540 m 313 $250, SW E-21st st and 23d av W 101 S 33-4 E to W 23d av N to beg blk D, sub 50 Associates tract, E Okd, $1,000.

June 1, 1898—Est of Martha M. Coleman by trs to Thos. and Margaret Blunt, 558 m 469, N Encinal av 400 W Walnut st W 50 x N 150; Ala, $250.

June 1, 1898—Hannah Ristrem to John Ristrem, 512 m 323, lots 11 and 12 blk C, Sather tract, Okd Tp, $800.

Sept. 4, 1897—Wm. J. Dingee to Henry T. Renton, 445 m 269, lot 12 blk C, same, Okd Tp, $230.

Sept. 4, 1897—Same to same, 445 m 263, lot 11 blk C, same, Okd Tp, $230.

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF BUILDING.

May 31, 1898—Charlotte A. Shurtleff owner to O. G. May & Co. contractors, the E 8 ft lot 5 and W 19 ft lot 6 blk A, map of Villa lots adjct to University site on the W, Bkly. Completed May 21, 1898.

TRANSCRIPT OF JUDGMENT.

63,994—May 31, 1898—D. A. Curtin vs. Chas. C. McIver, for pltff, from Superior Court S. F., $1,056.

LIS PENDENS.

15,185—May 28, 1898—Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Est Maria Schirmund et al., to foreclose 421 m 265, W King st 110 N Prince st W 120 x N 40, ptn Regent St Hd Assn, Bkly, $1,400.

15,185—Blix Hammer (Smith) vs. Kate J. Partridge or Patridge et al., to foreclose 520 m 40, E cor E-16th st and 8th av SE 100 x NE 115 blk 35, Clinton, E Okd, $3,000.

15,188—June 1, 1898—A. F. Peterson vs. O. P. Wilson Jr., to foreclose 526 m 426, lot 6 blk 8, Warner tract, Bklyn Tp, $150.

POWER OF ATTORENY.

May 14, 1898—Chas. L. Tilden to Wm. H. Payson, general.

ASSIGNMENT.

May 9, 1898—Wm. H. Knight admr Est Peter Otten to John A. Jakobson, assigns 465 m 191, made by Jno. A. Anderson June 27, 1893, for $1,200, lot 17, map of Henry and Phillips sub Bray tract, Bklyn Tp, $800.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE.

May 31, 1898—Jas. B. and Elizabeth Wilson to W. H. Buchler, furniture etc, at ——, 6 months 5 per cent per month, $70.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE.

14,531—May 31, 1898—Geo. B. M. Gray et al. by comr to Home Security B. & L. Assn, W Linden st 88-4 S 45th S 30 x W 90, blk 2105, Alden tract at Temescal, Okd Anx, $809.

HOMESTEADS.

May 30, 1898—Gordon E. Parker, declaration, lots 41 and 42 blk A, resub Fruitvale tract, Bklyn Tp, $1,500.

MAP.

June 1, 1898—Portion of the Hillegass tract, N of Bancroft way, Bkly, filed at request of M. L. Wurts.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

15,185—Department 1—Oakland Bank of Savings vs. Est Maria Schirmund et al., as in lis pendens, $1,400. John Yule.

15,186—Department 3—Blix Hammer (Smith) vs. Kate J. Partridge or Patridge, same, $3,000. J. M. Poston.

15,187—Department 3—Attachment.

15,188—Department 1—A. F. Peterson vs. O. P. Wilson Jr., as in lis pendens, $150.

INSOLVENCY.

15,184—Department 2—Wm. Pijeritz (groceryman), petition by debtor, liab $396; assets, personal ppty $495, personal ppty exempt $150. Signed May 27, 1898; filed June 1, 1898. Fred L. Krause.

JUDGMENTS.

14,531—Home Security B. & L. Assn vs. Geo. B. M. Gray et al., deficiency after sale, $228.

14,531—Same vs. Alice M. Gray et al., same, $228.

P. D. Lynch et al. vs. M. D. Miller, $77 and costs $36.

8,646—Max Marcuse receiver et al. vs. Oakland Paving Co., of dismissal.

ESTATES.

5,726—Department 4—John Hickey, application for letters of administration, by F. J. Shaw, real and personal property. B. McFadden.

5,727—Department 4—Jas. C. Martin, application for probate of will, by Harold L. Martin et al., real and personal property $94,000. A. A. Moore and W. J. Robinson.

COMMISSIONERS SALES.

June 3, 1898—Est. Mary A. Hardy by extr vs. Chas. Koelling et al, Lots 23, 24 and E 20 ft lot 22, Map of resub ptn blks D and E, Carrison tct, Okd Anx. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLUOR—Family extras, $5.50@5.60; bakers' extras, $5.25@5.35 per bbl.

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HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

BRAN—$15@15.50 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—$20.50@22.50 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $26@27 cileake at the mill, $31@31.50; jobbing, $32 @32.50; cocoanut cake, $24@25; cottonseed meal, $25@30 per ton; cornmeal, $24.50; cracked corn, $25.

HAY—(Ex-car in round lots)—Wheat, $24@24.50; wheat and oat, $20@23; oat, $17 @19; barley, $16@18; compressed wheat, $21@23.50; compressed oat, $16@18.50; alfalfa, $12@13.50; clover, nominal; timothy, $14 @17.50.

NEW HAY—Wheat, wire bound, $17.50@ 20; volunteer wild oat, ——; clover and oat, ——; island barley, $13@14.

STRAW—70c@$1 per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.90@3.05; small whites, $1.95@2.10; large whites, $1.90@2.05; pinks, $2.65@2.75; reds, $2.75; blackeye, $3.50@3.75; butters, $1.65@1.75; limas, $3@3.25; pea, $2@2.15; red kidneys, $2.50@2.55 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.25@2.50 per ctl; yellow mustard, $3.15@3.25; flax, $2.25; canary seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 3@6c; rape, 2¼@2½c; hemp, 2¾@3c; timothy, 5@5½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.75@2; green, $1.90@2.25 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Early rose are out; river reds, 25@45c; river burbanks, 40@50c per sack; Oregon burbonks, 40@60c; Petaluma burbanks, 50@60c; new potatoes, ¾@1¼c

ONIONS—Australian, $4@4.50; new, 55@ 65c per ctl.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, $2.25 for extra large, $1.50@1.75 per box for No. 1; 75c@$1.50 for small; rhubarb, 40@65c per box; green peas, 75c@$1.25 per sack; string beans, 6@10c; horse beans, 40@60c per sack; summer squash, $1@1.25 per box; dried peppers, 6@7c per lb; dried okra, 12½c; cabbage, 65@75c per ctl; carrots, 30@50c per sack; garlic, 5@6c per lb; cucumbers, 75c@$1.25 per box.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES—Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced dessicated, 16@18c; granulated raw, 13c; onions, 60c; carrots, old, 13c; new, 13c; cabbage, 30c; sweet potatoes, 30c; turnips, 25c; string beans, 30c; tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Live turkeys, 11@12½c for gobblers and 10@12½c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, $1@1.50; ducks, $3@3.50 for old and $3@5 for young; hens, $3@4; roosters, young, $7@8; roosters, old, $3@3.50; fryers, $5@6.50; broilers, $4@5 for large and $2.50@4 for small; pigeons, $1.50@1.75 per xdozen for young and $1.25 @1.50 for old.

GAME—Nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy Creameries, 19c; seconds, 18c.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 15½@17½c; second grades, 15@16c per lb.

Eastern Butter—Imitation creamery, 16@ 18½c; ladle packed, 15@15c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 9c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 10@11c; Western, 11@12c; Eastern, 12@13c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 14@16c per dozen; store eggs, 12@14c; duck eggs, 15c.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Strawberries, $2.50@3.50 per chest for large, $4@6.50 for small berries; apples, 40@60c per box for common, 50c@$1.50 for good to choice and $1.25@1.50 for fancy; white cherries, 2@3 40c; loose cherries, 1@2½c for white, 2½ @4c per lb for black; black, 40@65c; currants, $3@4.75 per chest; blackberries, $1.25 @1.60 per crate.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, $2.50 @3.25; seedlings, 75c@$1.25; lemons, 50c@$1 for common and $1.25@2 for good to choice; Mexican limes, $2.50@4; California limes, in small boxes, 40@50c; bananas, $1.25@2 per bunch; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon—9c per lb for heavy, 9½c for light medium, 10c for light, 11c for extra light and 12@12½c for sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured hams, 10½@11c; California hams, 9½@10c; mess beef, $10.50 per bbl; extra mess beef, $11; family beef, $11@12; salt pork, $9; extra prime pork, $10; extra clear, $17@17.50; mess, $15; smoked beef, 12c per lb.

LARD—Eastern tierces quoted at 6c per lb for compound and 8½c for pure; pails, 9¼c; California tierces, 5½c per lb for compound and 7½c for pure; half barrels, 7¾c; 10 lb tins, 8½c; 5 lb tins, 8¾c.

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BEEF—First quality, 6c; choice, 6½c; second quality, 5½c; third quality, 4@5c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7½@8c; ewes, 7@ 7½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 8@8½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4¼c for large and 4½@4¾c for medium; stock hogs, 2@3c; dressed hogs, 5½@6½c.

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BAGS—Calcutta grain bags, nominal; wool bags, nominal; San Quentin, $4.85.

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; new Wellington, $8; Southfield Wellington, $7.50; Seattle, $8; Bryant, $6; Coos Bay, $5; Wallsend, $7.50; Scotch, $10; Cumberland, $10.25 in bulk and $11.50 in sacks; Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $14; Cannel, $10 per ton; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $9; coke, $12 per ton in bulk and $14 in sacks.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery fine crushed, 7c; powdered, 6¾c; dry granulated, 5¾c; confectioners' A, 5¼c; magnolia A, 5¼c; extra C, 5¼c; golden C, 5¼c per lb; half bbls ¼c more than bbls, 5c; candy granulated, 5¾c; California A, and boxes ⅛c more.

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NUTS—Chestnuts, 8c per lb; walnuts, 3@4c for hardshell and 4@6c for softshell; almonds, 3@4c for hardshell, 6@7c for softshell and 8½@9c for paper-shell; peanuts, 4@5½c for Eastern and 4½c for California; pecans, 6½@8c; filberts, 8½@10c; Brazil nuts, 8@9c per lb; cocoanuts, $4.50@6 per 100.

RAISINS—1½@2c for two crown, 3c for three crown, 3½c for four crown, 4½c for seedless sultanas, 2¾c for seedless muscatels and $1@1.10 for London layers; dried grapes, 2½c.

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SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Weather forecast.—Fair tonight and Friday; fresh west wind.

THURSDAY.....JUNE 2, 1898.

Every one must be satisfied now of the fact that lots of money is being made on the Pacific Coast. The San Francisco Mint during the ten months ending Tuesday last, turned out $47,000,000 in gold coin.

Sampson seems to be on the short end as far as the naval honors of the present war are concerned. It is just as well anyhow. He was an admiral before the hostilities started, whereas Dewey and Schley had the ladder to climb.

Every one knows now how Reed stands as regards Hawaii—he thinks we ought to leave it alone. He is presumed to know his own business but it looks as if he is picking out a dangerous path on which to travel towards the Presidential goal.

Judging by the present rate of progress Owen Rooney will have to expend in legal charges, fees, time lost, and so forth the $1,000 that he is trying to get back from the city to say nothing of the gamble that he may be beaten in the end. All of which once more proves how hard it is for an individual to buck a corporation even if it is a municipal one.

Republican politics are sizzling in San Francisco these days. The convention of league clubs, while outwardly for general purposes and not individual ones, has developed into a canvassing ground for the various candidates. Judging by the way things are going the first writings on the slate that will prevail at the approaching State Convention are now being made.

That Spain did not know how to push a good thing along when she had it, is shown by the announcement that of the thirty-three large firms in Manila only five are Spanish and four of these have little to do with foreign trade. Of the rest, fourteen are German, twelve British, one Dutch, and one Belgian. From February 16th to May 11th seventy ships arrived at Manila; only four were Spanish.

Engineer Carver's ideas regarding the organization of a company of mechanics appear to be sound. A regiment such as he suggests, composed of carpenters, blacksmiths, machinists, bridge builders, and so forth should be invaluable in the invasion of a new country like the Philippines and as it is proposed to give the men a fair rate of pay, the benefits should be satisfactory to all parties concerned.

There is consolation for Spain in the fact that her financial condition will be actually benefitted if she loses her foreign possessions. Despite their fertility and great productiveness her colonies have been veritable millstones around her neck for, during the past ten years the wars in Cuba and the Philippines have cost her more than under favorable conditions she could get back from them in half a century.

The Salvation Army is about to invade the Klondike country, arrangements being now pending for the dispatching of a force there at an early date. The avowed objects of the expedition are threefold: 1, To seek the salvation of souls; 2, To raise and organize a body of men and women for the purpose of visiting and nursing the sick, the destitute, and the unfortunate; 3, To establish Salvation Army Corps in Dawson City and other cities of population.

That William H. Friend would be selected as postmaster of Oakland has been a foregone conclusion for some months past but as in politics a man is never sure of a thing until he has it, the announcement yesterday of his nomination for the office was welcome news to his large circle of friends. The appointment is said to have been made on the joint recommendation of Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn, for although the postoffices are generally in the sole patronage of the Congressmen in the case of the town where a Senator resides, the postmaster is selected by the member of the upper House. In Mr. Friend's case, though, there has been no opportunity for any trouble over the matter, for both Mr. Perkins and Mr. Hilborn were agreed as to his fitness and claims for the position.

SCHLEY AT SANTIAGO.

The attack by Commodore Schley on the forts protecting Santiago harbor can be regarded as the beginning of the end as far as the destruction or defeat of Cervera's squadron is concerned. The easy manner in which the big guns of our line of battleships the Iowa, Texas and Massachusetts mowed down the fortresses and protected points shows that at the second or third attack the entrance to the inner harbor will be forced, after which it will be "all over but the shouting," for Cervera's ships can no more attempt to cope with the magnificent fighting machines under Schley's command than did Montijo's with those of Dewey.

It is not from the guns of the Spanish warships that any ill results are feared, for our cruisers can take care of them when they line up fairly and squarely for a set-to. The danger point lies in the harbor itself, for it, as the reports state, it is a mass of torpedoes and mines, Schley's advance will be "into the jaws of death." However, with the system of countermining that is being observed, it is thought that the dangers from that score will be wholly removed—Schley is satisfied enough with it anyhow to go ahead, which it is certain he would not do unless he were sure that his ships would not be subjected to submarine explosions. Having forced his way past the first and what was supposed to be the strongest barrier, he will undoubtedly return to the fray forthwith, so at any moment now may come the good news that the Spaniards have been defeated and that the American flag is flying as proudly in victory in the Atlantic as it is in the far Pacific.

The influence of the Merchants' Exchange will once more be well directed if it succeeds in bringing about the desired commercial compact as regards the closing of stores on half-holidays. The trouble now is that many of the store-keepers take advantage of the good-heartedness of those of their fellows who give their clerks a vacation now and then, for by being the only ones to keep open their places of business they naturally gather in all the emergency trade that may be about. It is impossible to accomplish the desired end by requesting the public, on the occasions in question to boycott the houses doing business in that way, for purchasers think only of their immediate needs and will not hold out on the principle of the thing. The unfairness caused to all the other merchants by the practices referred to is so palpable that it is to be hoped the members of the Exchange will find some way of settling the matter.

It will be a long time before we get so crowded in this country that we are liable to tread on each other's toes when we turn around. According to the Library Digest, statistics recently published by the Interior Department show that the Government still has over 600,000,000 acres unoccupied. This is enough to give each of the 73,000,000 people in the country a homestead of eight acres and still have 16,000,000 acres left. The land is distributed among twenty-six States and Territories. The largest amount is located in Alaska where there are 369,529,600 acres. Most of this land will never be available for homestead purposes, of course, but its mineral value may be more than if the whole vast tract were available for grazing and farming. The remainder of the land lies in productive States, but much of it is barren and arid or mountainous.

There is nothing like a war song or martial music to stir up patriotism as witness the enthusiasm that is created in our theaters or public places nowadays when the band strikes up "America" or "The Star Spangled Banner." It sets the blood a-tingling to the very finger tips and even the most peaceful and home-abiding citizen feels for the moment as if he would like to have the opportunity to run amuck in the Spanish ranks. Military commanders recognize how the valor of their men can be stirred up by the singing or playing of the national anthems as the forces go into action and that such music is of great value during a long and tedious march is a fact well known to all those who have ever participated in the hardships of campaign.

It is poor patriotism that, as in the case of W. E. Spofford of University avenue, leave his family county charges while he goes to Manila as one of the volunteer army. His wife and three children have appealed to the Supervisors for assistance on the ground that they are absolutely destitute and it looks as if the real reason he went away was so as to make sure of getting three meals a day for himself. The country does not as yet want men so badly as to ask them to leave their wives and children penniless and in want.

The forty-five additional lights that are made available by the reduction of the rate schedule that is to go into effect the first of next month will, added to the first class service we already possess, make Oakland one of the best lighted cities in the country. Plenty of lights, good streets, and sidewalks, first class sewers and good transportation facilities are the principal elements in the make-up of a thriving, enterprising city. We are gradually getting around to all the requirements.

The war scare has had such a disastrous effect on the customary summer hegira of wealthy Americans to Europe that the agents of the various lines have had to resort to rate-cutting so as to pick up what little business there is about and also to tempt more to follow. It is safe to say though that when the flood of travel for the Paris Exposition sets in and every available foot of shipboard is in demand, the prices will jump back to the old figures again, if not higher.

The Spaniards must realize by this time that they are, what is known as "up against it." The hostilities up to date have consisted of one long string of reverses for them, with not even the shadow of a single victory as an offset.

It is not generally known that even in the heat of strife a certain chivalric courtesy is maintained between the opposing forces. From details to hand of the Manila engagement it appears that the day after the battle Admiral Montijo sent word to Dewey by the British Consul complimenting the Americans on their rapid firing and accurate marksmanship, to which Dewey replied with greetings to the Spanish admiral and praise for the courage and resistance displayed by the defeated seamen. Later on, the captain of the Boston who carried a flag of truce to the forts while some matters were being arranged, is reported as saying to Montijo, "You combatted us with four very bad ships; not warships. We have never before seen braver fighting under such unequal conditions. It is a great pity you exposed your lives on vessels not fit for fighting." This sort of thing will probably surprise those who have an idea that when war is on, it is a case of curse, shoot, and kill the enemy at every opportunity.

Emil Zola is receiving practical proof of the fact that advertising pays. Since the close of his famous trial the run on his books has been enormous, his latest production, "Paris," having already reached its hundredth edition. Although his second trial is on the docket and is at present merely hanging fire it is not considered likely that he will have to face his accusers again as the Dreyfus mess is one that the government is not anxious to keep continually stirred up.

Now that the great wheat deal has closed, the balance sheets of the victors have been given to the public and it is found, that Leiter has cleared up $4,500,000 as a result of his fourteen months' campaign. It would be interesting to know what Phil. Armour says to himself as he scratches out on a scribbling pad how he came out on the transaction.

An evangelist is to lecture here on "Is the Anglo-Saxon Race the Ten Lost Tribes of Israel." If an affirmative result is arrived at by his treatment of the subject there should be some change of description for in that case the other tribes must surely be the ones that are lost. We know very well where we are.

Although the cables are cut, Admiral Cervera has succeeded in getting plenty of reports as to the whereabouts of Schley's squadron. The guns furnished them to him directly from the Commodore's ships.

Senator Elkins is right. After the present war is over we must develop our merchant marine. With the trade of the whole world awaiting us, we surely ought to take some advantage of it.

When our permanent occupation of the Philippines is thoroughly established our young men will have another opportunity to "Go West and grow up with the country."

It is an ill omen for the young King of Spain that the Alfonso XIII—the ship that was named after him—has fallen into our hands.

HOWLAND ACQUITTED BY THE JURY.

"Dr." H. H. Howland, who was yesterday tried before Judge Ellsworth on a felonious charge, was acquitted by the jury after two hours of retirement. Attorneys M. C. Chapman and William White represented Howland. Harry Melvin conducted the prosecution.

A Queer Revenge.

"The lengths to which a man will sometimes go to avenge a real or fancied injury are amusing," said the conductor on a suburban train one morning recently. "Do you see that prosperous looking, middle aged man in the third seat on the left? Well, sir, he must be worth at least one hundred thousand dollars from the style of the country place he supports up on the sound. You will find in the baggage car a big battered looking old trunk with his name and address on it in large letters. Every morning when the man comes into New York his trunk comes with him, and when he goes home at night the trunk is on board. Between trips it rests in the baggage room in New York or at the station in the country where its owner gets off. That trunk has been traveling back and forth for two seasons now, and it's an awful nuisance.

"The reason for this is: Two years ago this man was thrown down in the car by a sudden jolt and he sued the road for twenty-five thousand dollars damages. He wasn't injured a particle, but he stated that he had been waiting to sue the road for something for a long time. Well, he was unable to prove carlessness on the part of the road or injury to himself, and he lost his case. He was an angry man, and if he had not had an extensive home on our line he would not have use the road. He looked around for some way to get even and he hit upon the trunk idea. He found that he was entitled to the transportation of one hundred pounds of baggage on each trip. He rigged up this big trunk, the largest one that he could find, and put in enough lead to make it weigh just one hundred pounds. So that every one might know that he was revenging himself he painted his name in large letters on the trunk. Every morning he has it checked into New York and every evening he checks it home again. During the trip he usually walks through the baggage car to gloat over the sight of it. He gets a lot of fun out of it, but it means a lot of bother also. He must get to the station ten or fifteen minutes before the train leaves in order to check his trunk. I have known him to miss a train rather than leave that thing behind. Every man who rides in our train knows the old trunk now. It's a nuisance, of course, but we have got used to it and we don't kick. The owner of the trunk thinks that he is getting even with the road, and he made out a little statement at the end of last season showing how much bagage he had forced the road to carry. He sent it to the treasurer of the road. But I never heard that he received any reply. Funny trick, isn't it?"—New York Sun.

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Our Navy Second Only to That of England.

The country at large scarcely appreciates the fact that within four months the United States has become a most formidable naval power. Including the Kentucky and Kearsarge, we have sixty-one ships that are technically classed as "vessels of war," which were constructed at our own ship yards. There have been added to this number fourteen fighting ships, built for other nations in England and France, and two at German yards. This gives the United States seventy-five of the latest pattern fighting ships, mostly of the armored cruiser type.

No nation in the world except Great Britain has such a number of vessels of war, all new and of the most approved designs, in their respective class.

We have now afloat five first-class battleships, and in two months the Kentucky and Kearsarge will be added to the list.

The finest vessel in the American fleet of the battle-ship pattern is the Iowa. She is 11,200 tons displacement. Her battery is one of the heaviest on the seas. She carries four 12-inch rifles. These guns are 45 feet long, and nearly 5 feet in diameter, outside measurement, at the breech, while at the muzzle they taper off to six inches thickness of steel. The charge of powder is 425 pounds, which is divided into three equal parts, encased in white flannel bags. It has been found that the projectile gets the full force of the charge by this subdivision of the powder, and it burns slower, which is the reason for the great length of the gun.

The powder is brown, like confectioners' chocolate, the grain is a trifle over an inch square. (In the heaviest guns, like the 13 and 16 inch, prismatic, or six-sided grain powder is used.) The armor-smashing shell of this gun weighs 825 pounds, and the solid shot 900.

The increase in the powder charge of our heavy guns since our late war is something tremendous. General Gilmore, when he shelled Charleston in 1863-64, at a distance of eight miles, astonished the world and inaugurated a new era in long-range gunnery. He used 200 and 300 pound Parrott guns. In the 200-pounder the powder charge was 50 pounds, and in the 300-pounder 65 pounds. There were eight and ten inch guns, and at the tremendous elevation of forty degrees that had to be given them, their muzzles blew off frequently after the twenty-fifth round, and they were liable to burst after the 200th round.

THE IOWA'S GREAT GUNS.

The Iowa's eight 8-inch guns will stand 500 rounds each without showing any danger signs, and the charge is 80 pounds of powder and a 250-pound shell driven through the air at the rate of 2150 feet per second when it starts, and 1848 feet each second a mile from the gun, and when two miles away the shell is still flying at the rate of 1648 feet each second.

That is what modern gunnery means, and what will happen off the Morro within ten days unless the unexpected intervenes.

The accuracy of these 8-inch and 6-inch rifles was shown during a recent experiment. Within the last week Commodore Schley's fleet went out to sea to test its guns and give the men some incidental target practice. The taget was a piece of canvas 10 feet wide by 12 long, stretched on frame and put up on a buoy. At a mile distant the 8-inch guns cut it to bits the first round. The 6-inch rifles—100 pounders—were even more accurate than the larger calibers.

The American gunner is admittedly the best afloat, as was shown in our war of 1812, and again when the gunners of the Kearsarge were successful over those of the Alabama, who had been trained on what Europe regarded as the finest gunnery school in the world—the British ship Excellent.

Spain has but one battle-ship like ours. It is the Pelayo, of 9,000 tons. It is older than any of ours, and rated two knots slower. Her best vessels are of the armored cruiser class, such as the Vizcaya and Oquendo, neither of which is equal to the New York or Brooklyn, while the Columbia or Minneapolis could run away from them on one-half a head of steam. So say the naval attaches of England and Russia, on duty here with their embassies.

In addition to the vessels already ordered and building in the naval appropriation bill now ready, four double-turreted monitors are authorized. They are to be of the Puritan class, not to cost over $1,250,000 each.

OUR AUXILIARY FLEET.

Besides the seventy-five regularly classified warships of the navy, there is an auxiliary fleet of fast ocean liners acquired in the last ninety days. At the head of the list stand the magnificent St. Louis and St. Paul of the American line. These two vessels and sixteen others of nearly equal tonnage are being equipped with batteries of rapid-firing 100 pound rifles, eight to each of the larger ships, and six to those from 6000 to 4000 tons, with an equal number of 5-inch or 4½-inch guns of the rapid firing class as a secondary battery.

The country may feel easy in regard to the matter of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers. The United States now owns thirty-one torpedo boats proper, with about the same number of yachts and fast small vessels that with small alterations can be turned into an admirable torpedo fleet. There are six divisions of these boats and destroyers, with from twelve to fifteen vessels to a division. The average torpedo boat is from 60 to 75 feet long, with a capacity for twenty-two to thirty knots an hour. The destroyers are about twice this size. Both torpedo boats and their destroyers are equipped with two 4 or 5 inch rapid-firing guns.

FOR THE FAIR SEX.

Watermelon pink silk is much in vogue for shirt waists.

A barometer is apparently useless on a pleasant day.

The package habit is quickly acquired by the suburbanite.

How long the days can be if we stop work and begin to brood.

A tooth never aches less than when you are on the steps at the dentist's.

Housekeepers who are wise are buying barrels of flour at the present prices.

We can always see other's faults through magnifying glasses, but never our own.

Men gossips are infinitely more dangerous and more numerous than feminine ones.

No sacrifice is too great when it is prompted by love; in fact it is no sacrifice then.

The dogwood blossoms always look so much whiter on the tree that is farthest away.

Nine out of every ten women you meet wear two little bobbing curls attached to their coiffure.

Do not think that Mrs. Up-to-date is a cannibal because she is going to have a friend to lunch.

There are houses where a scarcity of furniture is not noticed, because of the wealth of hospitality therein.

The opposite reflection to "Be sure you are right then go ahead" is "Be sure you're wrong then don't do it."

Soldier buttons have completely triumphed over every other form of sleeve link for the summer girl's shirt waist.

A small cottage on earth is worth a dozen large castles in the air, and likewise a hundred times more troublesome.

Freckles can be borne with smiling placidity when the sunshine that makes them is as frequent a visitor as it has been lately.

There is no rudeness quite equal to that which is embodied in the sudden cut-off by the central of an interesting telephone conversation.

And now the young man who is not off to the war is thinking where he will spend his summer vacation. He sees a hard campaign ahead of him.

The telephone bell is almost as sweet in tone as the wedding bell when you feel sure that some one you care for very much is going to call "hello."

A soda water counter on Eighth street is offering cake with the popular summer beverage. The idea was evidently prompted by an individual who knows a bit about women shoppers' ways.

More umbrellas than parasols were carried yesterday, despite the sunshine. The days of showers have taught many individuals the value of the adage that any idiot can cary an umbrella when it rains.

About the Queen Regent.

Every American is more or less interested in everything concerning Maria Christina, Queen Regent of Spain just now. Hobart C. Chatfield Taylor describes her in his "Land of the Castanet," which was written two year ago, as follows:

"Spain has been cursed by generations of bad Kings and Queens, each adding to the ruin of the country, but at last the peninsular has a a ruler who commands admiration and respect. Her Majesty, Queen Maria Christina, the regent, is a true woman, dignified and tactful, and when one is presented to her he feels the force of the word 'queenly,' that being exactly the word that describes her in manner, figure and bearing. The Queen receives you in a small room, not unlike the reception room of an American house. Except for the bowing low and backing out of the royal presence, everything is most informal. You are invited to sit down and permitted an interview of a few minutes. Her Majesty asks questions about various topics she thinks of interest, and then, to signify that the audience is over, she rises and you retire, with numerous low bows, careful that your back is ever toward the door. The Infanta Isabel (elder sister to Infanta Dulalia) receives in the same informal manner as the Queen, but one feels, perhaps, a little more like talking freely here, than in the more constraining presence of the regent."

Arthur Lynch, who has also had the opportunity of observing the Regent, says of her:

"Neither tall nor short, nor stout nor thin, Queen Maria Christina joked to be a woman who had had her full share of trouble in this world, and had been obliged to fight for her own hand. That, indeed, has been her history. A foreigner in a nation of people proud by nature and suspicious by reason of the events of their history, the new Queen could seek in her troubles but little consolation or guidance from her husband, but she set herself resolutely to the task of gaining the respect and confidence of the people and the affection of the brilliant but unsteady Alfonso XII. In Madrid itself there is very little real fervor for royalty, but the irreconcilable republicans are few. The opportunists and the moderate republicans are in the ascendant, and they recognize that perhaps the best form of government for Spain is a liberal regime during the minority of a King, and with a Queen as Regent who has made herself respected for her private character and who does not unduly interfere with matters of state."

Making a Good Job of It.

Old settlers in central Illinois still relate with gusto the story of a man who was arrested on a charge of murder many years ago and taken before a newly-elected country squire for a preliminary examination. The trial was held in a backwoods school house. The prisoner had employed an attorney to defend him, but the evidence was clear and positive. Several witnesses, in fact, had seen the crime committed.

The justice of the peace, after hearing the testimony, and listening patiently to the speech of the lawyer, looked sternly over his spectacles at the prisoner and addressed him thus:

"John Simpson, the evidence is against you. Ther' haint the shadder of a doubt but what you committed the murder. John Simpson, stand up."

The prisoner complied with the order.

"The sentence of this court," proceeded his honor, "is that you, John Simpson, be took out to the woods back of this school house tomorrow morning at half-past nine o'clock, and hung by the neck until—"

"Your honor," interposed the attorney for the defense, thunderstruck, "you are not sentencing the prisoner to death, are you?"

"That's edzactly what I'm doin'. The sentence of this court, John Simpson, is that you be took out to the woods back of this school house tomorrow mornin' and hung by the neck——"

"But, your honor," gasped the lawyer, "you have no right to do that! There is no law for such an extraordinary proceeding—"

"Sit down, sir!" thundered the squire. "This court don't need no instructions from you. This court knows what it's doin'. John Simpson, stand up agin. The sentence of this court—"

But a way out of the appalling difficulty had suggested itself to the prisoner's attorney. He sprang to his feet and interrupted the court again.

"Your honor," he said, "one moment! we have the right to appeal this case, haven't we?"

The squire scratched his head.

"Y-e-s," he said slowly. "I reckon ye kin take an appeal."

"Well, your honor, we appeal to the supreme court of the State of Illinois!"

The prisoner's life was saved for the time, but it was a narrow escape.—Youth's Companion.

Modern Proverbs.

If conduct is three-fourths of life the other fourth must be good clothes.

It is a wise man who never lets his wife know that he can put up shelves as well as a carpenter.

A man who can dig garden has a hard lot in life; his wife is always lending him to the neighbors.

This would be a pleasanter world if parents considered obedience as indispensable as dancing lessons.

Next to knowing another woman's age, women always wants to know whether her sidecombs are real tortoise shell.

Among queer kinds of women is the woman who always wants to talk about what she was doing this time last year.

A man can never please his neighbors; they always think either that he stays at home too much or he does not stay at home enough.

A married man hates the word "honeymoon," because his wife is always throwing up to him his sentimental remarks during that period.—Chicago Record.

Where Cramps Come in.

A salesman from Philadelphia who comes to Washington frequently sat in the Ebbitt house a few evenings ago discussing the destruction of the Maine, the admirable work of Commodore Dewey and his fleet in the far East and the Spanish-American war in general. His listener, who is the representative of a Milwaukee house, tried to get in a word, but it was impossible. The Philadelphian was so verbose that no one could interrupt him. He told all about the war, described to his Milwaukee friend the strategic movements that the American navy would make and volunteered information as to the exact date the war would end. Everything was made perfectly plain to the man from Beertown. Just as he was about to leave the hotel for a stroll about town the Philadelphian turned to his Milwaukee friend, and, looking him square in the eye, asked:

"Can you tell me why the loss of an American ship is like ginger?"

The man from Milwaukee thought intently for a moment and shook his head.

"Why, it is good for Cramps."

The Philadephian drew a picture of his joke, and the two started for the cafe.

Stole a Flag.

Michael Mannion, 15 years old, made his way to the roof of a flat house yesterday and stole an American flag belonging to Mrs. Bella Weiss. He was arrested an hour later while trying to sell the flag to passers by.

"Young man," said Magistrate Mott, when Mannion was arraigned in the police court, "you are charged with larceny. According to the complaint against you this flag is worth $12. That means that as a piece of cloth so many feet long and so many feet wide, it is worth so many dollars, but the flag as the Stars an Stripes of this nation has a value that cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. You stole it because it was the flag, and not because it was a piece of cloth. It may be as bad to steal a pin as to steal money, but to take away a flag, especially at this time, is more than ordinary larceny. You are young yet, and I hope that you are not such a bad boy at heart that you will not learn more than you know now about patriotism and honesty."

Mannion was held in $200 bail for trial.—New York Sun.

Spurgeon's Noted Temple.

Spurgeon's tabernacle—now, alas! in ruins—was in its early days a greater resort of famous people in literature and art than it was latterly. Few English-speaking men of letters from different parts of the world but paid at least one visit to the famous tabernacle to hear the great preacher whose voice death forever silenced. A very curious encounter between two cedebrated men is recorded to have taken place within its walls. One Sunday an old man in clerical attire, none other than the famous Dr. Thomas Guthrie, who was on a visit to London, entered the chapel, accompanied by a friend. The latter offered the use of his hymn-book to an unkempt, curious looking man on his right hand. Dr. Guthrie and the stranger happened to glance at each other and each gave a nod of recognition. "Who is he?" queried Guthrie's acquaintance, when the service was over. "Don't you know him?" asked the minister, "why, that's Tom Carlyle!"

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BIG FORMAL OPENING OF THE CAMPAIGN

Republicans Are to Rally Tomorrow Night.

The Young Men's Republican League of Alameda county have planned for a big turn-out tomorrow night. There will be a short parade and music and a genuine Republican rally, at which many noted Republicans will be present.

The Young Men's Republican League will meet at the headquarters, Gier's Hall on Fourteenth street, from whence they will march to the Broadway depot to meet the train bearing the orator of the evening, Hon. Tirey L. Ford, of San Francisco.

A band will accompany the escort up Broadway and to Hamilton Hall, where the meeting will be held.

The local speakers will be G. W. Reed, Jas. A. Johnston, A. L. Frick, Giles H. Gray and E. K. Taylor. These speeches will be limited to five minutes.

The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock by President A. H. Breed, who has named the following vice-presidents:

John A. Britton, Hon. Guy C. Earl, Hon. Geo. C. Pardee, Hon. S. P. Hall, Henry P. Dalton, H. A. Melvin, Hon. Wm. R. Davis, P. E. Bowles, Paul Goldsmith, Clarence Crowell, Hon. F. W. Henshaw, Hon. F. S. Stratton, Abe P. Leach, Marston Campbell, J. H. McClymonds, Hon. John Ellsworth, Frank C. Jordan, J. M. Oliver, Hon. W. E. Greene, C. E. Snook, G. E. De Golia, Hon. F. W. Leavitt, J. P. Ames, A. E. Bolten, Hon. F. B. Ogden, Fred Johns, W. H. Friend, F. K. Mott, W. E. Dargie, Walter Manuel, Geo. S. Meredith, Hon. John Yule, J. Cal Ewing, Hon. John Mitchell, Rod. W. Church, J. L. Palmer, Al McPherson, Frank Bilger, Geo. W. Hoguet, Hon. W. A. Dow, Al Williams, T. M. Robinson, C. W. Green, Carl H. Green, C. T. Johns, Thos. Pheby Jr., Frank Barnett, W. H. Church, R. M. Price, J. A. Sands, Will D. Powers, Howard E. Wright, Felton Taylor, Chas. H. Spear, John Rohan, A. M. Benham, Dr. D. D. Crowley, Emil Nusbaumer, Bert Swan, J. P. Cook, V. H. Metcalf, Ben F. Woolner, Geo. H. Derrick, R. W. Snow, J. J. Allen, G. B. Daniels, J. E. Farnum, J. B. Wilson, F. W. Summers, Giles H. Gray, Geo. B. M. Gray, Dr. H. B. Mehrman, S. W. Condon, Z. T. Gilpin, W. W. Morrison, Wm. Gross, Frank J. Woodward, Dr. F. S. Bodle, Fred A. Campbell, C. A. Fawcett, P. M. Fisher, F. R. Girard, E. A. Heron, John Tisch, Jas. P. Taylor, Fred V. Wood, Harry Pulcifer, Wallace Everson, W. H. Chickering, W. H. Quinn, Hon. Fred M. Campbell, W. F. Kroll, Dr. W. F. B. Wakefield, W. V. Witcher, Frank M. Parcells, Arthur R. Wilson, W. H. Waste, H. C. Wyckoff, Robt. Edgar, Jas. Kenney, John Foy, E. C. Marliave, Major J. W. Tompkins, J. M. Haven, R. A. Marshall, Fred Clift, J. S. Wixson, H. A. Powell, John Russ, E. W. Davis, Wm. Lair Hill, W. G. Palmanteer, Dr. Myra Knox, Wm. G. Henshaw, James Moffitt, A. J. McGovern, J. W. Stetson, J. L. Scotchler, F. M. Smith, John A. Bliss, John A. Beckwith, J. L. Bromley, Herman Harfst, Geo. W. de Jarley, Mark Thomas, Mortimer Smith, F. E. Whitney.

IN THE COURTS TODAY

Letters testamentary have been issued as follows: To Charles F. Bailey on the estate of Andrew M. Bailey, deceased, and to Frederick G. Easton and Helen Easton on the estate of James Easton, deceased.

Letters of administration have been granted to John S. Flynn on the estate of Timothy Flynn, deceased; to J. H. Harding on the estate of John G. Harding, deceased; and to Marie Samouillet on the estate of Andre Samouillet, deceased.

Appraisers have been appointed of the estate of the late George F. Getson, A. M. Roduguez, William J. Lyons, James Easton, Andre Samouillet, and Caleb Sadler.

Mary J. Huff, executrix of the will of Lucien B. Huff, deceased, has petitioned to renew and extend a mortgage belonging to the estate. The property is situated at Ninth avenue and East Fifteenth street and is valued at $12,375.

The account of Henry Smyth, guardian of the estates of Charles E. Jacox and John Wesley Moore, minors, shows receipts aggregating $3,331.14, and expenditures of $574.25. The balance on hand is $2,806.39.

Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Maria Jochim, deceased, is on file. The estimated value is $750.

Judge Ogden yesterday granted a non-suit to the defendant in the suit of P. Caselli against James Davis. The plaintiff averred that a large tract sown to hay was plowed up by the defendant. He sought to recover $1,250 damages.

Defendant has filed answer in the suit of Victoria Townley as administratrix of the estate of Edward Townley, deceased, against Charles W. Bolles et al.

F. I. Hawes, assignee of the estate of Maria J. Quna, deceased, has received his final discharge.

J. S. Hanley, S. H. Hunt and F. M. Barnett have been appointed to appraise the estate of John G. Harding, deceased.

John J. Fleming has filed answer and cross-complaint to the suit of L. G. Burpee.

John Farrell has made answer to the amended supplemental complaint of Margaret Farrell.

Lizzie Fried and Eli Fried have filed complaint to quiet title against Israel Fried.

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RED CROSS BENEFIT BY PATRIOTIC WOMEN.

Ladies' Loyal League Will Give an Entertainment Tomorrow Evening.

The entertainment to be given by the Ladies Loyal League to-morrow evening in Washington Hall, East Twelfth street and Sixth avenue, promises to be a great success.

The programme, consisting of living pictures from the history of our country, is as follows: Columbia; Signing the Declaration of Independence; The Birth of Our Nations Flag; The Days of '49; Great Seal of California; The Soldier's Farewell; Tenting on the Old Camp Ground; The Empty Sleeve; Signing the Emancipation Proclamation; Columbia Striking the Chains From the Slave; Cuba's Piteous Appeal; Columbia to the Rescue; Spain Overthrown and Cuba Libre; Good Night. Appropriate music will accompany each scene.

The male quartette composed of the following well-known singers, Messrs. Wilkie, Redfield, Melvin and Hoyt, has generously given its services; also Miss Nina Martin, soprano; and Mrs. S. M. Martin, contralto.

COMMENCEMENT AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Sixty Graduates Will Receive Their Diplomas This Evening.

The commencement exercises of the Oakland High School will be held tonight in the school gymnasium.

President J. H. Todd of the Board of Education will present the diplomas to the graduates.

The programme of exercises is as follows:

Music, "All Hail, Beloved Fatherland"; "The relation between Poetry and Life," Mabel Flora Robinson; Latin recitation (selections from Virgil), Harry Thomas Stevens; "The Laboratory," Lydia Lee Dozier; music, "Venetian Song" (Tosti); "Our Prospects for Obtaining a Livelihood," Du Ray Smith, Jr.; Greek recitation (selections from Homer), Mabel Agnes Thayer; violin solo, "Reverie" (Vieux Temps), Mabel Floretta Jordan; "The Flag We Fight For," Benjamin Weiser Reed; music, "Praise Ye the Father" (Gounod); presentation of diplomas, Dr. J. H. Todd, president Board of Education; music, "America."

FRUIT COMMANDS GOOD PRICES.

Regular Cargoes Are Coming Daily to Adams' Wharf.

The fruit and produce now being daily unloaded at Adams wharf from the Sacramento river are bringing good prices and the demand is greater than the supply.

This morning the Etta B arrived and brought cherries, currants, peas, potatoes and onions. The cherries cost 2½ to 3½ cents a pound; currants brought from 2½ to 4 per drawer, and new potatoes from 55 to 60 cents per box.

Hunt, Hatch & Co. have secured the services of the Mary C and this boat will commence making regular trips next week. The Duxbury will be in with a full cargo tomorrow from up the river.

CARRIER PIGEONS BROUGHT INTO COURT.

Judge Allen and an interested lobby listened to a lecture on the treatment of carrier pigeons in the Police Court this morning. It was in the trial of L. W. Baker, charged with cruelty to animals. Baker was arrested on complaint of his neighbor, Mrs. Annie Lytle of 1445 Linden street, who charged that Baker had broken her pigeon's leg.

Mrs. Lytle had the pigeon in court and she exhibited the broken member and insisted upon Judge Allen making a surgical examination. She also claimed that Baker had pulled out the tail feathers of the rest of her pigeons.

When Baker went upon the stand he explained that Mrs. Lytle's pigeons had been bothering him by going into his loft and he had thrown them out. He then went on to tell how pigeons should be treated and fed.

Judge Allen, in continuing the case till tomorrow, stated that Baker could have killed the pigeons if he had so desired and Prosecuting Attorney Melvin suggested that Mrs. Lytle and Baker chose alternate days on which to allow their pigeons to fly.

MORE TROUBLE AT THE SANS SOUCI.

The "Sans Souci" boarding house on Market street was the scene of more trouble early last evening. Bart Davis and Pete O'Brien, deputy constables, who are employed by the Stewart collection agency, went to serve an attachment upon the place, but they were refused admittance by the landlady, Mrs. Permien. A war of words between the landlady and the constables ensued and some one sent for the patrol wagon. Officer Swain, however, refused to make an arrest when he arrived upon the scene and learned the situation and the constables were left on the front porch of the house till late last night, when they departed.

Several months ago A. Baroteau then a constable, went to the "Sans Souci" on a similar mission. He did not fare so well, however, as Davis and O'Brien. Baroteau commenced breaking the furniture and he was promptly thrashed by Mrs. Permien's two sons.

HOPPE ESTATE APPROVED TODAY.

The Value of Property Runs Well Up in the Thousands.

All of the Inheritance Left to the Widow and Three Children.

Inventory and appraisement of the estate of the late John C. Hoppe was filed with the County Clerk today by Charles E. Cornell, J. L. Barker and George M. Kelley.

The property consists of the following: A parcel of land on the Telegraph road near Tyler street, valued at $12,560; a second parcel of real property at the northwest corner of Eighth and West streets 41x87 feet, valued at $4,037.50; also three other lots on Eighth street near Center, valued all told at $10,295; two lots on Eighth street near Cypress, valued at $6,950; property situated in the town of El Verano, in Sonoma county, of unknown value; and a plat in Mountain View Cemetery worth $275.

Besides this real property there are personal effects of considerable value. A one-third interest in the firm of Brigham, Hoppe & Co., 205 California street, San Francisco, appraised at $21,406.53. Besides this there is personal property in the homestead estimated at $2,250.75. This makes a total value of $57,774.78 on the entire estate, which is left to the surviving widow and three children.

PITTIFUL TALE TOLD BY TOM HENNESSEY.

Persecuted by a Woman Whom He Could Not Love.

Tom Hennessey attempted to secure a warrant this morning for the arrest of Mrs. Bertha Boschen, on a charge of petit larceny, but he was unsuccessful. Hennessey, who is 72 years old, was arrested a week ago for disturbing Mrs. Boschen's peace, but was released next day by Judge Allen. Now he claims that while he was in jail Mrs. Boschen stole a lot of chickens which she had sold to him. After his release Hennessey had Mrs. Boschen and her son Albert arrested for battery.

According to Hennessey, there is a stirring romance behind the story of the arrests. The romance is best told in Hennessey's own words. "I am an Englishman," said he to Clerk Hennessey of the Police Court, who, by the way, is not a relation of the old man. "I was born in Dublin, Ireland, and my father was a Polish Jew. I am 72 years old, and was never arrested before last week. When I came to Oakland from Australia a few weeks ago I met Mrs. Boschen and she fell in love with me. She offered me all kinds of inducements for me to go and live at her ranch, but I refused, remembering that I had a wife and ten grandchildren in Australia. I am an upright man, and I would not listen to her words of flattery, although she told me that she was a rich woman.

"When she found that she could not make an impression on my heart she became piqued and had me arrested."

VANDERBILT IS FINALLY WEDDED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, June 2.—The religious ceremony of the wedding of Miss Edith Stuyvesant Dresser to George W. Vanderbilt took place at the American church here to-day. The civil ceremony was performed yesterday. There were 15,000 persons present to-day, including Ambassador and Mrs. Porter, Chauncey M. Depew, Count and Countess Castellane, the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, niece of the groom.

Woman's Exchange Benefit.

A tea and musical is in progress this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edward M. Walsh, on Monte Vista avenue for the benefit of the Woman's Exchange. The directors are assisting Mrs. Walsh in receiving. The handsome home has been very prettily decorated. Pink roses, sweet peas and ferns garnish the large reception rooms. During the afternoon the following musicians will be heard: Mrs. Ewer, violinist, Miss Morrison, pianist, and songs by Miss Obey and Miss Vinchiarutti of Alameda. The Daffodil Club will also sing.

Police Pickings.

Judge Allen this morning continued the case of William Lewis, the prize fighter, who was found guilty of interfering with Deputy Sheriff Charles White, while the latter was making an arrest, till June 6th for sentence.

The charges of peddling without a license against John Fausa and Manuel Jacondo, San Francisco fishermen, were dismissed.

The charges of drunkenness and battery against Quinn Sewell were stricken from the calendar.

Must Clean Sidewalks.

Street Superintendent Miller will tomorrow send notices to property owners ordering that grass and weeds be cleared from the sidewalks in front of vacant lots.

Pears'

To keep the skin clean is to wash the excretions from it off; the skin takes care of itself inside, if not blocked outside.

To wash it often and clean, without doing any sort of violence to it, requires a most gentle soap, a soap with no free alkali in it.

Pears', the soap that clears but not excoriates.

All sorts of stores sell it, especially druggists; all sorts of people use it.

DISSATISFIED HUSBAND ANSWERS HIS WIFE.

Harry Williams Opposes His Wife's Aggressive Proceedings.

Will Go After a Divorce Himself Since the Matter is in Court.

Harry F. Williams today filed answer and cross-complaint to the charges brought against him by his wife, Ella Williams, who is endeavoring to obtain a divorce.

The husband makes a complete denial of all the allegations in the complaint, from that averring that she is a resident of Alameda county to the one declaring that he cowardly deserted his wife and home and sought other climes where he could be free from matrimonial responsibilities. The defendant further denies that he is a man of money.

By way of cross-complaint Mr. Williams states that the couple were married at Youngstown, Ohio, in 1882. In August, 1896, the plaintiff wife decided to make an Eastern trip for a period of six months. She did so with the approval of her husband, but at the end of that time refused to return to her home and live with the defendant. And not until this day, asserts the complaint, has the wife ever returned to Oakland and assumed her maternal responsibilities. As a separate cause of action the cross-complainant charges his undutiful wife with habitual intemperance in such a degree as to unfit her from attending to her ordinary duties.

PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATIONS.

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WASHINGTON, June 2.—The President to-day sent these nominations to the Senate:

Navy—For advancement for meritorious conduct in battle: Captain Frank Wilder, to be advanced five numbers; Captain Charles V. Gridley, to be advanced six numbers; Captain Joseph B. Coghlan, to be advanced six numbers; Captain N. A. Dyer, to be advanced seven numbers; Captain Benjamin P. Lamberton, to be advanced seven numbers; Commodore Asa Walker, to be advanced nine numbers; Commodore Edward P. Wood, to be advanced ten numbers.

War—Volunteery Signal Corps, to be Captains: Alex D. Smead of Pennsylvania; Charles B. Epburn, District of Columbia; First Lieutenant Charles Clark, Fifth Infantry; Elmore McKenna of Idaho. To be First Lieutenants: Henry G. Opdyke of New Jersey; Hugh Haddock Jr., of New Jersey. To be Second Lieutenants: William S. Wright, Fred A. Jones. First Sergeant Signal Corps, M. Wagner of Massachusetts, Henry W. Stamford, Sergeant Signal Corps. To be Captain: Frederick L. Martin of California (nomination of Frank L. Martin for the above office withdrawn). To be Assistant Quartermaster with the rank of Captain, Frank L. Polk of New York.

Interior—Walter M. Luttrell, now physician of Mescalero Indian Agency, to be Indian Agent of that agency in New Mexico.

The nomination of W. H. Calp of Idaho for appointment as First Lieutenant United States Signal Corps, is withdrawn.

A BLOW TO UNION LABOR.

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MILWAUKEE, June 2.—In the Superior Court union labor received a hard blow from Judge Sutherland in the case of Erdman Schultz against the Schultz Brewing Company, granting a temporary injunction to restrain the company from interfering with Schultz in employment of non-union labor in the execution of a building contract. The court held that a specification in the contract requiring the contractor to use only union labor is void.

Foresters Meet.

Court Oakland, No. 1237, Independent Order of Foresters, held an interesting meeting last Friday evening in Loring Hall. A good attendance was present. One candidate was initiated and three applications were received. This court has increased its membership very fast during this term, and the open meetings conducted by a regular entertainment committee have added much to its success. Vice Chief Ranger Thos. Ahrens, the genial roadmaster of the Southern Pacific Railroad at West Oakland, who is chairman of the committee, promises another smoker in the near future.

Government Wins.

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PARIS, June 2.—The Chamber of Deputies today on the second ballot elected M. Deschanel President of the House by a majority of four. M. Deschanel was the Government candidate and a former Vice President of the Chamber of Deputies.

Sparks Gets Fifteen Years.

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SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 2.—Judge Hart today sentenced Andrew Sparks, convicted of burglary, to fifteen years imprisonment in the Penitentiary at Folsom.

A Berkeley Insolvent.

Henry B. W. Cady of Berkeley today filed his petition in insolvency. His liabilities are $479.20, and his assets $79 in clothing.

Inventory and appraisement of the estate of C. W. Forman, deceased, was today filed. The value of the entire property is $5,083.36.

Embezzlement Cases.

Judge Allen this morning set the trial of Joseph Dorety and Moses Helman for embezzlement for June 23th.

Yesterday a jury in the Police Court disagreed in the case of H. E. Tuttle, charged with embezzling funds from Geo. Hallahan.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

George Willers, San Francisco	21
Sophie Mendel, San Francisco	18
Robert A. Sanenstein, Alameda	31
Elise Hildebrand, San Francisco	20
Thomas White, San Jose	25
Nellie Coakley, Oakland	22

PILLOWS FOR ALL WEARY HEADS.

Oakland's Soldier Boys Are Each to Receive One.

Volunteer Companies Are Now Being Organized in Many Districts.

One of the most generous and thoughtful offers yet made to the soldier boys was contained in a letter from Kahn Bros., received last night by Adjutant Vaughn of the Fifth Infantry. Sol Kahn offers to furnish the boys of Companies A and F with pillows as soon as they are called into camp. This means a gift of 206 pillows.

An enthusiastic meeting was held in Washington Hall, East Oakland, Tuesday night, and steps taken to organize Company L of the Fifth Regiment, N. G. C. The "Dandy Seventh" gives promise of producing one of the finest military companies in the State. A large enrollment of intended members was made and a recruiting committee appointed to secure enough additional names by Saturday night to make a total of 83 men. That evening they will meet for their first drill. The regular drill nights thereafter will be Thursday, but an additional night will also be designated. Only experienced military men will be elected to officer the command. L. N. Cobbledick, the captain, has served in the National Guard for eleven years, and recently resigned from the position of battalion adjutant.

Following is the roll heading being signed by the members of the mechanics' company being organized by L. H. Carver in this city:

"We, the undersigned, do hereby enroll ourselves for enlistment in the United States Volunteer Corps of Engineers, and individually agree that we will present ourselves when notified to appear for muster at the office of the United States officer in charge, for the purpose of taking the physical examination, and, if accepted, the oath required upon entering the service of the United States of America."

A military company to be known as the Alameda Light Guard is being organized here, many members of the former Boys' Brigade being interested. At a meeting at the Congregational Church parlors last night a committee consisting of Albert B. Dewing, E. J. Walker and Edward V. Orr was appointed to secure headquarters.

PERISHED ON THE DYEA TRAIL.

Returning Klondiker Starves With a Fortune on His Person.

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SIOUX CITY, Iowa, June 2.—Loaded with wealth, but deserted and starving, John Rochet, once a well known manufacturer in Sioux City, perished last April on the trail between Dawson City and Dyea, Alaska.

The news of his death reached here in a letter to his widow, written by Richard Hendrickson from Seattle, under date of May 24th.

The details of Rochet's death are meagre, but from what can be gleaned it appears that he was returning from the mines after disposing of a valuable claim. His party was short of provisions, and as Rochet, who was quite an old man, delayed the march, it was decided to abandon him.

Rochet had been engaged here in the manufacture of brick, but was tempted from home by the stories of immense wealth in Alaska. From all accounts he was among the luckiest of the miners at Dawson City, but was unable to bring his winnings back to civilization. His body will be brought here for burial.

Wreckage of the Jane Grey.

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PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., June 2.—The schooner Horn, overdue from Valdez, Alaska, has arrived here. Captain Olsen reports having passed through considerable wreckage last Sunday afternoon thirty miles off Clayoquot sound. The wreckage consisted principally of lumber, but there were several doors and pieces of a vessel's cabin painted white, which he thinks were part of the Jane Gray.

Noted Pacing Stallion Dead.

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CHICAGO, June 2.—The pacing stallion Guinette, 2:05, matched for $20,000 with John R. Gentry, 2:00½, and owned by James A. Murphy of this city, is dead of heart failure. Guinette was bought by Murphy on October 29th last of A. L. Libby of Boston for $7,000.

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POLITICS IN THE KEYSTONE STATE.

Quay Scores a Point in the Republican State Convention.

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HARRISBURG, Pa., June 2.—The only semblance of a contest in today's Republican State Convention was over the head of the ticket. Colonel W. A. Stone, member of Congress from Allegheny, the favorite from the start, won on the first ballot; John Wanamaker of Philadelphia was a good second, and Congressman Charles W. Stone of Warren brought up the rear. The fight practically closed yesterday, when Senator Quay advised his friends that Colonel Stone was his choice.

Mr. Wanamaker was the distinctly anti-Quay candidate, and his backers claim his vote represents the sentiment throughout the State against the organization of which the Senator is the head. Colonel Stone is a friend of the Senator, and was not in the combination against the Quay forces. Senator Quay did not come to the convention. He came over from Washington Monday and was in conference with his lieutenants until 10 o'clock this morning, when he started for the national capital.

Not much time was lost in making up the ticket after Colonel Stone's nomination. Senators Merrill of Harrisburg and John Grady of Philadelphia withdrew from the contest for Governor last night. This left a clear field to their colleague, Senator J. S. P. Gobin of Lebanon, commander in-chief of the G. A. R.

James W. Lattice of Philadelphia was renominated for Secretary of Internal Affairs; Galusha A. Grow of Susquehanna and Samuel A. Davenport of Erie for Congress at large. William Porter of Philadelphia was nominated for Superior Court Judge. The convention was called to order at 11 o'clock by State Chairman Elkin.

Frank W. Heaton of Wilkesbarre was elected Permanent Chairman.

The convention then proceeded to the selection of a candidate for Governor. Thomas Marshall, Jr., of Allegheny presented the name of Colonel W. A. Stone. Representative Chidsey named James Frank Reeder, and Joseph M. Huston presented the name of John Wanamaker. A. L. Shields presented a letter from Mr. Wanamaker withdrawing as a candidate. Mr. Wanamaker asked his delegates to vote for Charles W. Stone.

Vote for Governor: W. A. Stone, 189; C. W. Stone, 162; absent or not voting, 2.

Colonel Stone having received a majority of the votes, he was declared the nominee amid wild enthusiasm.

HOUSE PASSES DEFICIENCY BILL.

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WASHINGTON, June 2.—The House today passed a bill providing for the establishment of Postoffices at military forts and camps, also a resolution directing a survey to be made of the channel from Ship Island harbor to Biloxi and Gulf Port, Miss., and a bill to return to the State of New York the flag carrier in the civil war by the 109th New York Volunteer Infantry.

Mr. Cannon from the Committee on Appropriations presented an urgency deficiency bill to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the army and navy for the present fiscal year, the appropriations to be available until December 31, 1898.

In Committee of the Whole Mr. Cannon explained the present action on the measure. He said it was the policy of the Committee on Appropriations to hold back the general deficiency bill until practically the close of the session, in order to catch up all items that may develop as necessary up to the latest moment of the session. Meantime the present bill was urgent, and had been reported for present consideration because its items could not wait upon the general deficiency bill. Incidentally he estimated that the appropriations already made on account of war were likely to develop astonishing amounts, estimated at $350,000,000.

In response to Mr. Dingley, Mr. Cannon said the war would cost approximately $600,000,000, provided it should continue one year.

He also stated that there was $100,000,000 called for by the urgency deficiency bill, absolutely necessary to be put into the hands of an official within a day or two for immediate action.

The House passed the bill.

Nicaragua Congress Adjourns.

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NEW YORK, June 2.—The Herald correspondent at Managua, Nicaragua, says Congress has adjourned; its last act being the sanction and approval of the treaty of peace arranged between Costa Rica and Nicaragua.

The Federal Congress of Colombia will meet on June 15th.

GOVERNMENT BUYS THE PEDRO.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—A special to the World from Key West says: The United States Marshal has sold the prize steamer Pedro to the United States Government for $200,000. This amount is to be deposited by the Secretary of the Treasury to the credit of the Secretary of the Navy.

The Pedro is to start to unload her cargo at once, and is to be turned over to the Government as soon as possible. She is to be used as a collier.

SENATORS WILL LEAD CAVALRY.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DENVER, Col., June 2.—A News special from Washington says: The bill calling for two more independent cavalry regiments has already been informally and favorably considered by the Senate Military Affairs Committee and is known to have Presidential approval.

Senator Mantle will certainly be named Colonel of one of these regiments, and Senator Clark of Wyoming will probably get the other Coloneicy.

A Modern Horse Hospital.

Is the handsome new building of the Oakland Veterinary Hospital, Drs. Pierce and Archibald props., 1724 Webster. Every convenience and modern mechanical contrivance for surgical work. Tel. main 581.

DR. HERZ WANTS HEAVY DAMAGES.

His Claim Against France for Five Million Dollars.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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LONDON, June 2.—Documents proving the American citizenship of Dr. Cornelius Herz, who was prominently connected with Panama canal matters, are now on their way to Washington.

It is said that Secretary Day has informed Dr. Herz that if he can show he has done all possible, without avail, through his lawyers, to obtain compensation from France for his seeming prosecution, the United States will take up his case. It was announced in January, 1897, that consel for Dr. Herz presented at Washington for indemnity a claim for $5,000,000, in which it was claimed that the French government was persecuting the claimant.

Dr. Herz is a citizen of the United States, although born in France, and was educated in the United States.

He married an American woman, and when his children were born in Paris, he caused them to be registered at the American Consulate.

January 10, 1893, while he was stopping at Bournemouth, England, with his wife, he was arrested under extradition proceedings on a warrant from the French government charging him with fraud and embezzlement growing out of the Panama canal scandal. Under the law, a prisoner wanted for extradition must appear at the Bow Street Police Court. Dr. Herz was confined to his bed by illness and so was unable to appear. The case was kept open, and he has continued under arrest in his bed four years. Parliament came to his relief and enacted a special act that permitted the magistrate to attend Herz's bedside and take his testimony. This was done, and the magistrate promptly declared that the charges were invalid and scarcely deserving of notice. He was thereupon released.

Numerous proceedings were instituted against him in France and his property was confiscated there.

Claiming to have been damaged in name and health and in other ways, he demanded that the State Department should present a claim against the government of France.

Although he mentions no sum, the brief showed that he demanded the sum of $5,000,000 in a letter he sent to the President of France, which was never answered.

CERVERA WILL GET A RESPITE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—A dispatch to the World from San Domingo says: The American fleet attempted to force the Spanish squadron which has taken refuge in Santiago de Cuba to engage in battle on Tuesday.

Our vessels bombarded Forts Morro, Socapa, and Punta Gorda, discharging between the hours of 2 and 4 P. M. seventy shots.

The Spanish vessels did not dare to place themselves in a position to return the fire of the American fleet.

Only the cruiser Colon discharged a few useless shots.

The Spanish feeling at Santiago now is that Admiral Cervera's fleet is in a rat trap.

Private news from Porto Rico shows that forty-two persons were injured during the bombardment of San Juan. The land batteries suffered heavy damage. Americans and Cubans here resident have transmitted by mail a preannounced signed petition to President McKinley expressing the urgent necessity of retaining Consul Grimpke at his post.

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ADJUDICATION OF INSOLVENCY

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the insolvency of Henry B. W. Cady, an insolvent debtor.

Order of adjudication of insolvency.

Henry B. W. Cady having filed in this Court his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said Henry B. W. Cady is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the Sheriff of the county of Alameda, State of California, take charge and possession of all the estate, real and personal, of said Henry B. W. Cady, insolvent debtor, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep and care for the same until the appointment of an assignee herein.

All persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts belonging to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent, to him, or to any person, firm, corporation, or association, for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this Court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been placed on file in the office of the Clerk of this Court at least two days prior to the 11th day of June, 1898, be and appear before the Hon. F. B. Ogden, Judge of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, in open Court, at the Court-room of said Court, in the said county and State, Department No. 3, on the 11th day of June, 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of the estate of said debtor.

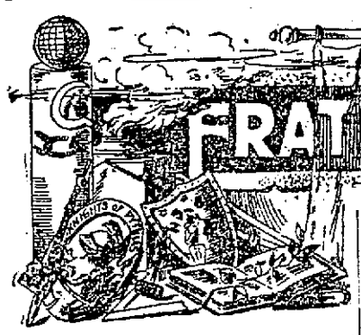
It is further ordered, that this order be published in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Alameda, State of California, as often as the said paper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated: June 2nd, A. D. 1898.

F. B. OGDEN,
Presiding Judge of the Superior Court.

Endorsed: "Filed June 2nd, 1898. Frank C. Jordan, County Clerk; by John A. Robinson, Deputy Clerk."



Resume of the Week in Lodge Room Work.

Secret Orders Finding Fun In Grove and Hillside.

MANY PICNICS ARE PROMISED.

Considerable Activity is Shown in the Society of Pythians.

Some of the most interesting events in fraternal societies during the past week will be found summarized below:

Knights of Pythias.

Live Oak Lodge No. 17, K. of P., had a very interesting session last Wednesday night. Visitors were present from Pluto Lodge of St. Helena, Oakland No. 103, and others. After the early business of the evening had been disposed of, Stranger F. W. F. Harper appeared for initiation and in due time the stranger was instructed in the page rank in a manner that reflected credit on the lodge and its officers, both regular and temporary. Brother James Sloan as acting chancellor commander, in the conferring of ranks has but few equals in this domain.

Under the head of "good of the order," the report of grand lodge representatives Sloan and Holland were listened to with the keenest interest.

Brother Frandsen of Pluto Lodge and an active member of Calanthe Temple, enlarged upon the doings of the Grand Temple.

PIEDMONT LODGE NO. 172.

Owing to the fact that last Monday was a holiday, the attendance at Piedmont Lodge was smaller than usual. Nevertheless, considerable business was transacted. Brother E. Pugh, formerly of Madera Lodge No. 134, was admitted by card, introduced, and signed the roster.

An application for membership from Stranger Gillvoy was received and a committee of investigation was appointed. Brief remarks were made by Brother Pugh and visiting members O'Neill, Frandsen, and others.

OAKLAND LODGE.

Quite a large attendance was present at the session of Oakland Lodge, Friday evening last, interested in listening to the report of grand lodge representatives Aldrich and Hurlstone. Visitors were present from several of the local lodges and the brethren in the far East were represented by a member from Boston, who entertained the lodge at some length on fraternity as it is construed by the order in the Hub.

Past Chancellor Gans, who has been ill for some time at Fabiola Hospital, was reported as improving and on the high road to recovery.

Rathbone Sisters.

At the session of Calanthe Temple No. 6, Tuesday evening, May 25th, representatives to the grand temple, Sisters Kleso and Journal, made a very fine report on what transpired at the late session of that Temple at Santa Rosa.

A committee on entertainment and social to take place at an early date was appointed which promises to eclipse the programmes of all former entertainments held by this temple. The drill team, so far as drilling is concerned, has been for some time in a state of dolce-far-niente, owing to the illness of drillmaster Gans.

St. Patrick's Alliance

The annual excursion and picnic of Oakland Alliance No. 5 will be to Sunset Park, Santa Cruz mountains, Sunday, June 12th, and promises to be the most successful picnic ever given by this popular organization.

Several parties of ladies and gentlemen of San Francisco and Oakland have arranged for whole cars. In order to provide for the comfort and enjoyment of the large number of people expected, the officers of the Alliance and the various committees have made ample arrangements. An experience of several years in giving excursions of this character enables the society to promise its friends a day's outing in the mountains full of pleasure.

United Workmen.

The regular weekly meeting of Pacific Lodge No. 7 takes place this evening at A. O. U. W. Hall, 1169 Broadway.

The following were elected to fill the various offices of Pacific Lodge No. 7 at the last meeting: Past Master, F. W. Marston; master workman, B. W. Marlin; foreman, Geo. C. Hunt; overseer, Jas. A. Plunkett; recorder, J. S. Gilmore; financier, A. Remp; receiver, E. J. Fennon; guide, H. W. French; inside watchman, J. Jergensen; outside watchman, F. J. Ball; organist, Robert Hall; trustee, W. J. Petersen; medical examiners—S. E. Reiley, S. R. Webster, R. S. Hill, Jr., F. W. W. Hulme.

Pacific drill team has elected the following officers: Past Master, A. H. McRowan; master workman, E. J. Fennon; foreman, Geo. A. Bower Smith; overseer, J. S. Gilmore; guide, C. R. Haswell; lecturer, E. W. Marston; organist, R. Hall; captain, W. J. Petersen.

Preparations are being made to celebrate the twenty-first anniversary of the organization of Pacific Lodge No. 7, which takes place on the 24th of next July.

Pacific Lodge, at its last meeting, voted to pay the dues and assessments of all of its members who may enlist in the present war. Bro. L. E. Thomson is the first to benefit in this way, having already sailed for Manila.

EDEN LODGE.

Eden Lodge, A. O. U. W., of this place gave its initial entertainment last Saturday night at Village Hall, which was both a social and financial success. Considerable of the talent on the programme was secured in Oakland, which was assisted by local talent. The programme was varied, including vocal and piano solos. The committee was bound to make the affair a success, and did its work well, and Eden Lodge may feel proud of its first attempt. The reciting by Mrs. Carro True-Boardman was particularly enjoyed, as was also the fancy dancing of Miss Ida Malloon, both of whom were warmly received.

Miss Nellie Clines of this place sang more sweetly than ever before, and many words of praise were hers. Following the programme, the hall was cleared for dancing, which continued until 12 P. M., when the entertainment came to an end.

OAK LEAF LODGE.

Considerable interest was taken in the election of officers for the ensuing term at Oak Leaf lodge No. 35, A. O. U. W., last Monday evening. The following brothers were elected to office: William Cogan, re-elected Master Workman; Mortimer Smith, foreman; M. A. Byrne, overseer; W. J. Hall, recorder; Joseph Harris, financier; Morris Isaacs, receiver; E. A. Thompson, guide; D. M. Heath, inside watchman; W. J. Oakes, outside watchman; W. B. Ingersol, organist; L. Leimert, trustee; Doctors Johnson, Mehrman, Herrick and Dunn were appointed examining physicians and Brother Herrick was elected lodge doctor for one year.

Brother Garrett received the contract for medicines. The committee on arrangements reported that the jubilee celebration, which takes place next Monday evening in honor of the twentieth anniversary of Oak Leaf lodge will be the grandest affair in the history of the lodge. A musical and literary programme of the highest order will be presented at the entertainment, which will be held in A. O. U. W. Hall. After the conclusion of the entertainment all present will adjourn to the Crellin Hotel, Washington street, where a grand banquet will be partaken of.

During the banquet brief speeches will be given by prominent members of the order.

Brother Hartman, the genial host of the Crellin, who is a member of Oak Leaf lodge, has the reputation of being one of the best caterers on the Pacific Coast.

The committee wishes the brothers to positively understand that no one will be admitted to the entertainment without an invitation, and the coupons to the banquet are not transferrable. A member of the order and an accompanying lady only may use the coupons. This rule will be strictly enforced.

By the unanimous vote of the lodge, the patriotic sentiment of paying all assessments and dues of absent members who have enlisted was carried amid great enthusiasm.

Ten tickets were purchased for Ivy lodge's entertainment.

Master Workman Cogan requested the officers and members of the lodge to be present at 7:30 o'clock next Monday evening in order to get through the business of the lodge with dispatch so that the jubilee entertainment may commence at 8 o'clock sharp.

Companions of the Forest.

The ladies of Mizpah Circle No. 181, C. O. F., held the most delightful home social in their lodge rooms last Tuesday evening that has ever been enjoyed by the circle.

The affair was strictly invitational, and the guests, notwithstanding the storm clouds that lowered upon approaching night, began to arrive at an early hour, and entered at once into the spirit of the evening's good cheer. Soon there was that buzz and hum of merry voices that are so often met with when every one feels at home and is having a good time. After the company had spent an hour or more in dancing and pleasant repartee, the guests were served with cooling drinks and delicious cakes of many kinds, offered them. Much praise is due the that were baked by the fair hands that chairman of the committee, Miss Bessie Hetherington, for her untiring efforts and kindly solicitation for the welfare of all present.

The friends from San Francisco stayed for the last boat, and after "just one more dance" had been granted for the second time, the happy people departed with many a warm handshake and hearty good-bye.

Sons of St. George.

Albion lodge voted $10 last night in favor of the Oakland branch of the Red Cross Society.

The good work of helping to make the lives of the brave boys of the army and navy as comfortable as it is possible during the present war with Spain was spoken of and was most warmly supported by all present.

The great company which thronged the picnic, upwards of 1,800 adult tickets besides those for children having been sold, was evidence of the great success of last Monday's excursion.

Next Wednesday there is to be a joint installation of the officers of Albion and Derby lodges in Gier's Hall, corner of Fourteenth and Washington streets, to which all the brothers are invited. Music and refreshments will be provided.

Young Men's Institute.

Council No. 24 is said to be in the best financial condition of any council in the district. The members will pay a visit to Council No. 28 in the not distant future.

Council No. 31 is reported to have one of the coziest meeting halls in this city. It has recently added twelve names to its membership roll.

District Deputy R. H. Hammond has in view the formation of several new councils in this district.

Council No. 6 has several candidates for initiation at its next meeting.

The convening of the fourteenth grand council takes place at San Jose August 29th, 1898.

Nominations for delegates to the next grand council take place at the last regular meeting in June.

Council No. 8 is contemplating the holding of a picnic.

Brother members of Council No. 8 paid a fraternal visit to Council No. 6 at its last meeting.

Catholic Nights of America.

Branch No. 504, Catholic Knights of America, at its last meeting, adopted a resolution which will be a source of consolation to the younger members as also to those who may be dependent upon them.

It had come to the ears of the management that some of the members had already enlisted for the war and that it was desired to know what relationship those so enlisted would bear to the organization in the event of delinquency in dues and assessments while in the field.

By way of answering the question, a resolution was introduced and unanimously adopted to the effect that the dues and assessments of any member who should enlist during the present war would be paid by the branch and that in the event of disability or death on the part of the absent members, the benefits accruing from membership would be paid in the same manner as if the member should have been injured or stricken by the hand of death at home.

In case of the death of the member abroad, while serving his country, $2,000 will be paid to his family or those to whom the assignment of his death benefit is made.

It has been decided to appoint a committee to make arrangements for a banquet which is to be given to visiting brothers soon. The names of the members of the committee will be announced at the next meeting.

At the last meeting there were two initiations and three applications for membership.

Society Dania.

The forthcoming picnic of Thyra Lodge No. 9, Society Dania, at Johnson's Mt. Eden Grove, Sunday, June 5th, the members of the society say, will be the picnic of the season, for this society has a host of friends throughout the county. Fine music from San Francisco has been secured. Refreshments served on the grounds. The committees having the picnic in charge are: Floor managers—Chris. Christensen, H. H. Sorensen, Harry Thorup; floor committee—M. Rasmussen, John Asmussen, Haywards, Jens Hensen, Mt. Eden; John Henningsen, Alvarado; Chris. Petersen, San Lorenzo; Geo. Christensen, Irvington.

JOINT ENTERTAINMENT.

The Danish Brotherhood and Society Dania will give a grand entertainment and dance Monday evening, June 6th, at Gier's Hall, 511 Fourteenth street. The features of the evening will be a lecture and a series of stereopticon views by Dr. Derrick, on the Spanish and Cuban war, which will be followed by dancing.

Degree of Honor.

The election of officers for the ensuing term took place at Ivy lodge No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., last Wednesday evening with the following result: Past chief of Honor, Mrs. Carr; Chief of Honor, Mrs. Wilkinson; Lady of Honor, Mrs. Chloupek; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Garrison; recorder, Miss Butler; sister usher, Mrs. Reichman; inside watchman, Mrs. Van Court; outside watchman, having no candidates was accepted by the good-natured brother, A. Ar Wood; organist, Miss Oakes; financier, Mrs. Ingersol; receiver, Mrs. Mitchell; trustee, Brother Ingler; medical examiners, Doctors Holmes, Dunn and Herrick.

The committee on entertainment reported progress.

The following committees were appointed:

Reception—Sisters Greenebaum, McKay and Levy.

Floor—Brothers Holmes, Herrick and Plunkett.

Tickets—Brothers Greenebaum and Cogan.

Decoration—Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Oakes.

Refreshments—Brothers Harris and Smith and Sister Smith.

After the lodge adjourned a grand rehearsal of those who intend to participate in the entertainment of Thursday evening, June 9th, took place.

Everybody did exceedingly well. Tickets for the affair can be purchased from members of the lodge or at any of the leading dry goods stores in the city.

HOOKER COMMANDS THE SHIP BRUTUS.

The Well Known Lieutenant Resigns His Old Position.

A great deal of pleasure was experienced in this city today by the announcement of the appointment of Richard C. Hooker to the position of Senior Lieutenant in the United States Navy. Lieutenant Hooker is well known in this city and, indeed, in all parts of the coast. He was formerly a lieutenant in the navy; having advanced to that position after his graduation from the Naval Academy at Annapolis. He resigned his commission fifteen years ago and since that time has been leading the life of a civilian. On the day the news was received of the blowing up of the Maine, Hooker offered, by telegraph, his services to the Secretary of the Navy at Washington, in the event of war, and Tuesday the offer was accepted and, according to the rule in vogue in the navy, he was reappointed to his former rank in the navy, that of senior lieutenant. He will act either as commander or as executive officer of the Brutus which is to carry coal and accompany the harbor defense vessel Monterey to Manila.

Lieutenant Hooker is admired by all who know him. He is a scholarly and cultured gentleman and officer. He has seen a service of twenty-two years in the navy, was a classmate of Captain Bradford, Chief of the Naval Bureau of Equipment; of Captain Brownson who bought the new United States men-of-war in England and of Captain Edward P. Wood of the Petrel which sank two of the Spanish men-of-war in the harbor of Manila.

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This is a remarkably strong programme and large audiences will be in attendance.

THE OAKLAND.

The company with May Nannary and Frank Lindon at its head is giving the greatest satisfaction nightly to a large audience at the Oakland.

Manager Mothersole is increasing the number of the friends of the theater considerably, and hopes before long to have the house on a standing which it has not enjoyed for years. One of the changes for the better is the keeping of the area in front of the house free from noisy and lounging boys, which he does by the employment of a special policeman who devotes his whole time to this important duty.

The play of "Moths" will be continued till next Sunday night.

FOR THE RED CROSS.

The hearts of the people of this community are with the brave boys now in the field and those who are on their way thither. They know that the defenders of the flag are sure to suffer from sickness, lack of necessary dainties and from injuries received at the hands of the enemy. While the Nation will gladly supply all that is ordinarily furnished soldiers in the field, the Red Cross Society has decided to supplement these with contributions which will tend to make it as pleasant as possible under all circumstances for the men who are risking their lives beneath foreign suns.

To accomplish this purpose will require a great deal of money, and the task of raising this money is now in progress by the members of the society. They are receiving generous encouragement from talented people and hope to obtain a sum which will attest the patriotism and liberality of the people of this city.

With this end in view, the Red Cross Society will be the recipient of two benefits on next Friday afternoon and another next Saturday afternoon and evening. The first of these will be a special matinee at the Oakland Theater at 2 o'clock P. M., Friday, when the play "Moths" will be presented with its magnificent cast, including May Nannary and Frank Lindon. There will also be a number of fine specialties and among the local stars will be the famous Reliance quartette. The admission price will be fifty cents, and all the proceeds will be applied to the benefit of the society.

The other benefits outlined for the society will take place at Oakland Park, Piedmont.

It will be of a unique description. It will comprise a military display and show how the Red Cross takes care of the sick and wounded in hospital and on the field of battle. There will also be a representation of the capture of Manila.

In this connection, the following correspondence between ladies of the Red Cross Society and Manager Mothersole of the Oakland Theater will be read with interest:

"Oakland, May 29, 1898.

"Mrs. Dunwoody, Secretary Red Cross Society, Dear Madam:—With a desire to assist your society in its noble work, we take pleasure in tendering you the Oakland Theater and the services of Frank Lindon, May Nannary and their company, for a benefit performance to be given on Friday, June 3rd, as a matinee. Then we shall be pleased to present an entertainment and diversified programme assisted by the leading professional and amateur talent of this city. The entire proceeds from said entertainment will be placed at your disposal.

"Yours respectfully,
"GEO. F. MOTHERSOLE,
"W. R. DAILEY."

THE REPLY.

"Oakland, May 25th, Red Cross Society, Mrs. J. G. Lemmon, Corresponding Secretary—Messrs. Mothersole and Dailey, Oakland, Cal., Dear Sirs:—Mrs. Dunwoody, chairman of the entertainment committee, gratefully accepts your kind offer of a benefit performance to be given Friday afternoon at the Oakland Theater.

"Respectfully yours,
"MRS. J. G. LEMMON,"

SUMMER CONVENTION OF ENDEAVORERS.

The County Union Will Meet at Golden Gate June 10th.

The Alameda County Christian Endeavorers will hold their midsummer convention in the Golden Gate Baptist Church June 10th. It will be a patriotic demonstration and will be based on the text "Render unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's and unto God the things which are God's." The afternoon session opens at 3:30 with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. H. O. Edison and includes singing, address, "The Relation of Good Literature to Good Citizenship," Rev. James Cumy; singing; address, "Render Unto Caesar the Things Which Are Caesar's," G. C. Adams, D. D., San Francisco; singing; open parliament, "Our Society's Work, Its Successes and Needs," conducted by Noel H. Jacks. The basket lunch and social hour will begin at 5:30, to be followed with committee conferences.

The evening exercises begin at 7:30 with a praise service led by J. M. Robinson; devotional exercises, Rev. James Hunter; announcements; offertory, J. M. Robinson; address, "The Relation of Sabbath Observance to Good Citizenship," Rev. E. R. Bennett; singing; address, "Render Unto God the Things Which Are God's," H. J. McCoy, San Francisco; consecration service, Rev. S. C. Keetch; Mizpah benediction.

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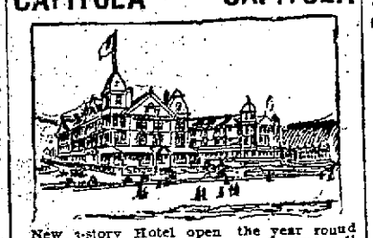

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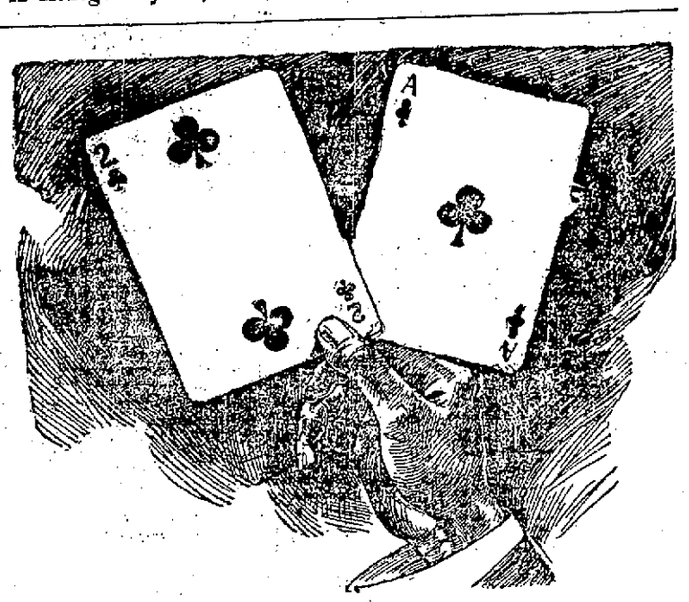

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Man's Mangled Body Found Early This Morning.

The Head Nearly Severed From the Rest of the Body.

LAST SEEN ALIVE AT NILES.

A Missing Coat Gives Rise to the Suspicion of Foul Play.

(Special to The Tribune.)

MISSION SAN JOSE, June 2.—The mutilated remains of a young man, apparently a student, lie at the Briscoe morgue in this place, and quite an amount of speculation is indulged in as to how the unfortunate came to his untimely death.

The body was found at an early hour this morning lying beside the main track of the Southern Pacific road about a mile and a half east of Decoto.

The left hand had been almost severed from the arm and a ghastly wound along the chest and neck showed where the wheels of a passing train had done their deadly work.

The body is that of a man probably 23 years of age. It was attired in a dark suit of clothes, the coat being missing.

The garb was not that of a farm hand, neither was it that of a railroad track employe.

It was neat and tasty and suggested the idea that it might have been that of a student, of which class there is quite a number now sojourning in this vicinity.

Some people are inclined to think that the unfortunate may be a member of one of the many camping parties which are now finding abiding places for the summer in Niles canyon.

Although a number of people from the surrounding country have already viewed the remains, no person has been able to offer any suggestion which would lead to the man's identity.

This is all the more to be regretted, because there is absolutely nothing on the person of the deceased to give a clew as to his name or residence.

Soon after the remains were discovered, Undertaker Briscoe of this place was notified of the fact. He immediately drove to the scene and took charge of the body.

In passing through Niles on his way to this point, he afforded some people on the streets an opportunity of viewing the body with the purpose, if possible, of securing identification.

Nobody knew the deceased, but several persons stated that they had seen the unfortunate last night at Niles, helping unload freight.

At that time, however, the unknown had on a full suit of clothes, while the body, when found, was in its shirt sleeves.

The deceased has a light complexion, dark diagonal trousers, and a striped shirt.

What became of the man's coat is a mystery.

If he wore such a garment while unloading freight at Niles, there is little likelihood that he would have occasion to doff it before reaching Decoto.

If, however, he took off his coat on the train or in the caboose, the presumption is that the garment would have remained with the train until it reached Oakland.

Inquiry at the mole, however, has resulted in the receipt of the information that no coat was found on the train in question.

It was further shown that on that train there were no marks of any person having been run over by the wheels.

The superintendent's office also showed that the only train which passed Decoto between the time referred to and the time of the finding of the body this morning was a freight train, east bound, on which it is known the deceased had not ridden.

It is believed by some people that the unfortunate man walked toward Decoto from Niles, and on the way met and quarreled with some persons who may have believed him to be possessed of means; that they assaulted him with the intent of robbery, and then placed his body upon the track to obliterate the evidence of the crime.

The finding of the coat, if it may yet be found, may tend to clear up the mystery which now envelopes the young man's death.

MAY BE JOHN BLUETT.

NILES, June 2.—It has been ascertained that the coat of the man who was killed near the track at Decoto was found on the "peanut train" which runs between San Jose and Oakland.

It is said to have belonged to John Bluett, whose residence is said to have been at 616 Twelfth street, Oakland.

Bluett is believed to have been a student in the freight service of the Southern Pacific.

(The only reference to John Bluett in the Oakland directory places the residence of the man at 725 Eleventh street.)

ELLIOT SUIT DRAGGING ON.

The Defense Undertakes to Refute the Plaintiff's Testimony.

The defense is today offering testimony in the suit of Samuel Elliot against the Southern Pacific Company to recover $20,000 damages. The style is much less tragic than that of yesterday's testimony when Benjamin Mhoon of Stockton and A. C. Vandervoort of Pleasanton described with vividness the flight of Elliot over the car seats as he was dragged by the brawny arm of a 224-pound conductor, who since then has sought the golden fields of Klondike.

Superintendent Fillmore this afternoon was placed upon the stand in behalf of the defense.

Matrimonial Misfit.

Jessie B. F. Janis has commenced divorce proceedings against her husband, Justin E. Janis.

PRICE OF FLOUR DROPS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—The Herald says: Coincident with another sharp break in wheat yesterday (Wednesday) there was a big drop in all grades of flour, ranging from 50 to 75 cents on fancy patents and 25 cents on the cheaper grades of flour. There has been a gradual slipping away in the price of flour during the last week, until yesterday the quotations were from $1 to $1.50 below the highest price which was touched on the great boom in wheat engineered by Leiter.

As a result of the weakness there was very little demand for flour, and the majority of dealers are holding off in hopes of getting in at the bottom.

NUBS OF NEWS FROM THE COURTS.

The suit of the Oakland, San Leandro, and Haywards Electric Railway to recover protested taxes from the City of Oakland has been dismissed on stipulation.

Judge Hall today issued a restraining order forbidding the defendant in the divorce suit of Maria Lundquist against Charles R. Lundquist, to collect any money now on deposit with the Pacific Steam Whaling Company.

Andy L. Stone has filed his supplemental complaint against Mrs. Christine Magnussen et al. The suit is brought to recover $700 for moving a house without permission from the plaintiff's land.

Agnes D. Bremer has received her final discharge as administratrix of the estate of Christian H. Bremer, deceased.

A SALMI OF NEWS FROM THE COLLEGE TOWN.

BERKELEY, June 2.—The regents of the State University have sent Regent A. F. Hallidie East as a special commissioner to gather information about Eastern trades schools before work is commenced on the new Wilmerding trades school. Mr. Hallidie will visit the trades schools of Boston, Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, and other cities, and thoroughly investigate their equipment, organization and methods.

Immediately on Mr. Hallidie's return from the East the Board of Regents will take steps toward organizing the University's new polytechnic department. The citizens of San Francisco have donated a site for the school on Kentucky street, but plans will not be drawn for the building until Regent Hallidie's report and recommendations have been carefully considered. A plan which is being discussed is that the work of instruction should begin before the school edifice is erected, and that the students of the school shall perform the labor of building it, under the direction of skilled instructors.

Professor James Keeler formally took charge of the Lick Astronomical Observatory yesterday. Several University regents accompanied him to Mt. Hamilton.

President Wilkinson of the Institute for the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind has announced that the graduates will be as follows: Adolph Anderson, Lucia B. Bacicaluppi, William J. Brooks, Ella P. Clark, Mary D. Cole, Grace Henchett, Edward B. Hartman, Anthony B. Munch, Milli Oxten, Rasmini Peterson, Henry C. Lieves, and Johanna E. Swift. Those who will receive honorable dismissals are: Margaret A. Clifford, Benjamin B. Cohn, L. E. Davis, William A. Donaho, and Montville Stafford.

At the commencement exercises to be held next Tuesday afternoon the pupils will give an exhibition of what they have learned during the year. The commencement concert is to be given next Friday evening, the principal feature of which will be the part taken by the blind musicians.

President G. M. Robertson of the Board of Education will present diplomas to 102 graduates from the High School tonight. The commencement exercises will be held in Shattuck Hall and the address will be given by General W. H. L. Barnes of San Francisco.

The Berkeley Pardee Club held a meeting last evening at Golden Sheaf Hall, in which allegiance was pledged to the Republican party and its nominees. The following officers were elected: President, E. C. Marflade; secretary, W. H. Waste; first vice-president, S. N. Wyckoff; assistant secretary, C. E. Fryer; treasurer, E. C. Merrill. The meeting adjourned until next Monday evening.

Graduating exercises were held at Miss Head's school for young ladies yesterday.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

ALAMEDA, June 2.—The list of graduates of the Alameda High School for the present term has been announced. It is as follows: Florence Hamilton Young, Susan Edson, Kate Brown Foster, Hallie Morse Daggett, Viola Sylvia Burgner, Esther Sophia Lee, Edna Grace Fowler, May Alisa Spender, Abbie Marshall Sykes, Lillian Knowles, Gertrude Lane, Lela Hustler Hubbard, Sarah Josephine Lee, Grace Whitney Penfield, William Edward Harrisberger, John Freeman Bovard, Russell Bunce Feld, Norris Lincoln Stark, Reuben Gay Hunt, James Kiah Hamilton Jr.

The cantata, "The Flower Queens," will be given by the High School pupils for the benefit of the school library and athletic fund. The performance will be given at Armory Hall Saturday evening.

Dr. Ludlow's "Ring".

Dr. William B. Ludlow, Jr., who is hospital steward at Camp Merritt, said farewell to the boys at the railroad shops yesterday, when he was in town on a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ludlow. He expects to leave with the next expedition for the Philippines and the men at the shops gave him many hearty God speeds. They even stated that they would present him with a ring, and did so by ringing the big bell for his benefit.

NARROW GAUGE WRECK A MYSTERY.

Coroner's Jury Fails to Find How It Happened.

Inquiry Into the Facts of the Death of Fireman John Hickey.

The jury summoned by Coroner Baldwin to inquire into the facts surrounding the death of John Hickey, the Southern Pacific fireman, found that death was due to an accident and exonerated Engineer Baldwin from all blame.

Hickey was killed in the wreck of the narrow gauge train, between this city and the Alameda mole, on May 22d. For some reason, which the Coroner's jury could not determine, the engine and tender was overturned and several coaches were derailed. The supposition is that a brake shoe dropped between the track and a wheel of the tender, thereby causing the wreck.

Engineer E. L. Baldwin was unable to be present, as he is still suffering from the injuries received in the wreck. His deposition, however, had been taken, and it was read at the inquest. He testified that he had been twenty-one years in the employ of the railroad company. The wrecked train was of five cars and on time, and was going about twenty-five miles an hour. He first applied the brake where they were preparing to put in a third rail. As his train approached the curve he thought it was running a little too fast and he put on air brakes to slow down. The train was still on the trestle. The engine seemed to jump and something seemed to break under her. The tender got to weaving one way and the engine the other way. The tender broke away and went over one side, taking his seat, and he was hurled out of his cab. He thought he was knocked unconscious for a moment. His engine was in good condition and he couldn't tell what caused the accident.

F. J. Shaw, engineer on the narrow gauge, a brother-in-law of deceased, testified that Hickey was 31 years old and born in Santa Cruz. Shaw had been running an engine over the same track where the wreck occurred. He saw nothing wrong with the track. Knew Engineer Baldwin eighteen years, and recognized him as a capable, careful man.

A. H. Walker, trainmaster of the coast division of the railroad company, stated that he inspected the track after the accident and found it to be intact and of proper gauge. He said that a track walker inspected the track every hour or two. The engine, he said, had overturned about 350 feet from where the tender left the track.

Conductor F. W. Tove of the wrecked train testified that the train left the mole at 2:06 P. M. There were about 150 passengers aboard. The first thing that attracted his attention was the setting of the emergency or air brake. He tried to reach a door, but the jolting caused him to miss the door knob. When he recovered his equilibrium the train was at a standstill. The trackwalker goes over the track frequently. Tove said he went over the track to see where the tender left the rails. The track seemed to be in order. He could find nothing likely to cause such an accident.

The roadmaster, R. M. Baxter, testified as to the condition of the track after the wreck. The first broken fishplate, he said, was where the wheels of the engine had cut the bolts. He could find nothing to account for the engine leaving the rails.

James Ross, foreman bridgemaker for the company, testified that he had made an inspection, but could not account for the tender leaving the rails.

Herbert White, one of the passengers on the wrecked train, said he was in the third car from the engine. He received a severe shock, but saw no passengers injured. The car ahead turned over. Witness saw Hickey under the engine. The fireman was apparently dead. The witness went over the track and saw a fishplate with the bolts out of it on one side. The ends of the rail were six or eight inches apart. It was about where the tender left the track, he thought.

From the testimony taken it appears that the track had recently been strengthened and was in good condition. The engine was in good order and was controlled by a capable and careful man, and it was running at the usual speed. The real cause of the wreck will probably always be a mystery.

Haywards Red Cross.

HAYWARDS, June 2.—A Red Cross League was organized at Haywards Tuesday evening. The following officers were elected:

President, Mrs. Ivy Wandesforde Kersey; first vice-president, Mrs. G. W. Lyons; second vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Alexander; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Crooks; secretary, Mrs. M. N. Donald. Mrs. Dr. J. Gamble was appointed a committee on headquarters. The ways and means committee is composed of Mrs. J. E. Crooks, Mrs. Seaton Smith, Mrs. F. Wilbert, Miss C. W. Wolbert, Mrs. Usher will take charge of the transportation problem, and Miss E. F. Allen of the bandage work. On Thursday afternoon and evening the league will meet in the First Presbyterian church.

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The Alaska Transportation, Trading and Mining Company of No. 42 Montgomery street, San Francisco, have cut rates to all points in Alaska at one-half the price charged a week ago. This company, of whom W. C. Gates, better known on the Klondike as "Swiftwater Bill," is president, does not propose to see the traffic bound for the Northwest territory escape his company. The rate heretofore to Dawson City has been $300 per head, with 150 pounds of baggage carried free. The freight rate at $200 per ton. The rate announced today in another column of this paper simply cuts the fare just half into, besides special inducements offered to miners with work upon the company's mines at $10 per day.

The company has its own steamship, the "Aloha," which will run from San Francisco to St. Michaels, and the "City of Dawson," which runs from St. Michaels up the Yukon river to Dawson city, are both in San Francisco, and intending passengers can avail themselves of the opportunity of seeing the ship and berth in which they are to travel to their destination.

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TEACHERS' EXCURSION.

Teachers' excursion to the meeting of the National Educational Association in Washington, D. C., at greatly reduced rates, will leave San Francisco at 8 A. M., Thursday, June 30th, under the personal management of Principal Albert Lyser of the John Swett Grammar school, San Francisco. Inquiries may be addressed to him and also to ex-Superintendent Madison Babcock, San Francisco, or to Superintendent J. W. McClymonds, Oakland, Cal.

For sleeping car reservations, etc., apply to D. W. HITCHCOCK, General Agent Union Pacific, No. 1 Montgomery street, San Francisco, or H. V. BLASDEL, 1010 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Decree in Foreclosure.

Judge Ogden has granted a foreclosure in the suit of Robert McDonald against Alfred Smith. Judgment was given to the plaintiff for $7,000 with interest at ten per cent. W. S. Harlow was appointed Commissioner with bonds at $100.

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‡6:09 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:09 a
‡6:09 p	"Sunset Limited Annex," El Paso, New Orleans and East	*9:39 a
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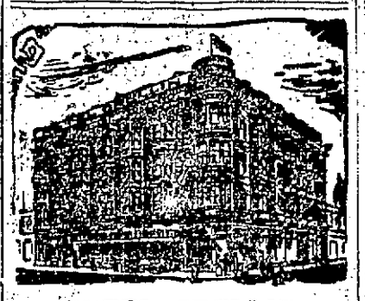

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Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Phillas H. Lamoureux, deceased, and for the issuance to Judith Lamoureux of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, May 23rd, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

JAS. C. MARTIN, 921 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Petitioner.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James C. Martin, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of James C. Martin, deceased, and for the issuance to Harold L. Martin and Vibella Jenks, formerly Vibella Martin, of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 13th day of June, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, June 1st, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.

A. A. MOORE and W. J. ROBINSON, Attorneys for Petitioners.

Notice to Voters.

REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously passed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerk it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.

(Seal.)

LEGAL

ASSESSOR'S

Notice to Taxpayers!

ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

First Monday of March, 1898,

in accordance with Sec. 1522, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 1628, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 428 to 425 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,

Assessor of Alameda County.

Oakland, California.

ADMINISTRATRIX' SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, Department No. 9, Probate, made and entered on the 26th day of April, 1898, in the matter of the estate of Nancy McVerry, deceased, Mary A. McVerry, the administratrix of the estate of said deceased, will sell at private sale, to the highest bidder, on or after SATURDAY, THE 4TH DAY OF JUNE, 1898, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said deceased at the time of her death, and all right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than or in addition to that of the said decedent at the time of her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, viz:

First—Beginning at a stake at the intersection of the southeasterly line of Webster street with the dividing line between plots numbers 14 and 19, and running thence south 48 degrees 44 minutes east along the line between said plots nine hundred and twenty-four (924) feet to a stake; thence south 47 degrees 55 minutes west, two hundred and forty and forty-six one-hundredths (240 46-100) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 42 degrees five minutes west, nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake in the southeasterly line of Webster street; thence at right angles north 47 degrees 55 minutes east one hundred and thirty-three and fifty-four one-hundredths (133 54-100) feet to the place of beginning. Containing three and 95-100 (3 95-100) acres.

Second—Beginning at a stake in the southeasterly side of Webster street distant south 47 degrees 55 minutes west one hundred and thirty-three and fifty-four one-hundredths (133 54-100) feet from the intersection of the said southeasterly line of Webster street with plots 14 and 19, running thence at right angles to Webster street, south 42 degrees 5 minutes east nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake; thence at a right angle south 47 degrees 55 minutes west, one hundred and forty two and forty-five one-hundredths (142 45-100) feet to a stake; thence at right angles north 42 degrees 5 minutes west, nine hundred and seventeen and forty one-hundredths (917 40-100) feet to a stake in the southeasterly line of Webster street; thence at right angles north 47 degrees 55 minutes east, one hundred and forty-two and forty-five one-hundredths (142 45-100) feet to the place of beginning. Containing three (3) acres.

Said two parcels of land above described, one consisting of 3.95 acres, and the other consisting of 3 acres, adjoin and are contiguous to one another, and form one entire piece or parcel of land.

Offers and bids will be received by the administratrix at the office of Morrison & Cope, room 123, Crocker building, at the junction of Post, Montgomery and Market streets, in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California.

All bids and offers must be in writing, and may be left at the office above designated, or delivered to said administratrix personally, or be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice, and before the making of the sale.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash in United States gold coin, upon confirmation of said sale by said Superior Court.

Dated, May 19, 1898.

MARY A. McVERRY, Administratrix of the estate of Nancy McVerry, deceased.

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SCHLEY WILL SINK SHIPS IN THE CHANNEL.

Old Hulks Are Now Being Sent Him for That Purpose.

Cervera Relies on Tornadoes to Raise the Blockade.

SANTIAGO TO BE SURROUNDED.

American Forces Will Co-operate With Insurgents Under Garcia.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 2.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

Commodore Schley's reconnoissance at Santiago bay, so far as the result is known to the authorities here, confirms the impression of General Miles and other military officials last week that from the moment Cervera's squadron entered Santiago, the co-operating of land and naval forces would be necessary in the conduct of a successful campaign against him unless he undertook to force his way out of the trap before he was surrounded and overwhelmed. It is true that Commodore Schley's exchange of shots with the shore batteries has demonstrated that they were weak affairs at best, but it is not expected that he will undertake to send his ships up the narrow, tortuous channel in single file, in order to destroy the Spanish cruisers, when that result may be readily accomplished with infinitely less hazard.

Having satisfied himself of the impotency of the land fortifications, it is considered probable that he will now block the channel by sinking one or more worthless hulks at the entrance. That he did not follow up the tremendous advantage he gained in the utter demoralization of the Spanish land forces is taken as an indication that he had this object ultimately in view, for the naval authorities had informed him that vessels to be used as obstructions were already on the way to him and should arrive in a day or two at the latest.

It is hardly thought possible that the Spaniards will venture on an aggressive movement, but will rather remain at anchor in the upper harbor, trusting to the scattering of Commodore Schley's vessels by the terrific hurricanes which are to be anticipated on the Cuban coast at this season of the year. The knowledge of this danger will probably hasten the placing of obstructions to navigation in the channel at Santiago, in order that the egress of the Spaniards may be completely blocked should the American fleet be forced to seek shelter at Mole St. Nicholas, which is the nearest harbor of any security.

The approach of the cyclone season and the necessity for speedily relieving Commodore Schley of his vigil are of vast importance in the effect on the military invasion, as it will be impossible to land troops at the most convenient coast point in stormy weather. Whether all the military force with which it is proposed to invest Santiago has left Tampa or not, army officials at Washington declare frankly they do not know, and with the rigid censorship exercised at Southern ports, which effectively checks the dissemination of the desired information, it is impossible to speak with certainty.

Secretary Alger has admitted to the members of Congress who control appropriations that an immediate invasion had been ordered and that operations in Porto Rico would promptly follow. The orders which were telegraphed to General Shafter last Sunday have been divulged by the President to no one except Secretaries Alger and Long, and Generals Miles and Corbin, and it is extremely unlikely that these officials would abuse the confidence reposed in them. It is not necessary that Government officials should be informed of such affairs, as they are charged with sending supplies to Tampa, when their jurisdiction is brought to an end.

It is known that the pioneer force, including the siege gun trains, the engineer detachment and a good-sized force of cavalry and artillery could have passed beyond Key West by this time without any one ashore having been the wiser. The guns and engineer implements have been loaded on the transports for several weeks, and the men to handle them have not been near the general camps. Several infantry and cavalry transports were ready for departure last Saturday, and if these vessels have not slipped away it is difficult to explain why they were loaded so long ago. The Panther, with nearly 800 marines aboard, under Lieutenant Colonel Huntington, has been under steam at Key West for fully three weeks, and with this nucleus, reinforced by Calixto Garcia's army of insurgents who have so long controlled Santiago province, so formidable a force would be assembled as to prevent any aggressive movement from the little body of Spaniards hemmed in at Santiago City. It is expected that the first news of the invading army will not come from Tampa or any other American port, but from Santiago itself.

The army, as well as the navy, has suddenly lost interest in Havana and Philippine affairs, and even the alleged movements of the Cadiz fleet have ceased to cause any apprehension. Interest at this time is centered exclusively in the Santiago campaign, and confidence is general that on its prompt and successful conclusion depends more than anything else the future course and limitations of the war.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

E. M. Sheridan of the Ventura Signal, Ventura, formerly of this city, is in town this week.

J. J. Agard has gone East, where he will spend a couple of months.

J. Rolin Fitch of Los Gatos is visiting in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dunning and family will leave shortly for Arizona, where they will spend a year.

Mrs. M. D. Patch and Miss M. L. Patch have gone to Spokane, Washington.

Mrs. E. C. Smith and daughter Mary of Chicago are visiting Mrs. J. A. Cruzan of Berkeley.

Mrs. Dayton and two children arrived in Berkeley yesterday from their home in Portland, Oregon, to spend a few weeks with Mrs. M. A. Walton.

Miss Ruth Rising will leave tomorrow for Washington to spend some time with friends.

Minetta Eames, Chairman Kittredge, Lunette Payne and Rev. Edward B. Payne left Monday for Mark West Springs, California, on a camping trip.

T. C. Coogan is registered at the St. James, San Jose.

J. H. Sherer of Colusa is in town.

J. C. Campbell has returned from Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Irvine have returned to Vallejo, after a short visit in this city.

Miss May Genung of this city has been spending a few days in Vallejo as the guest of her cousins, the Misses Mead.

H. C. Capwell recently left on a bicycle trip to Santa Cruz.

Mrs. A. L. Butler has gone to Los Angeles.

F. R. Watson has gone to Calegrove, Los Angeles county.

J. H. Nicholson, grandfather of Mrs. C. E. Randall of Morgan Hill, spent several days last week visiting in that place. He went to Santa Cruz and other points in Santa Cruz county Monday.

Mrs. R. L. Myrick of Highland Park, has just returned from Sheep Camp, Alaska, where she visited her brother, A. F. Burton. Incidentally she made the ascent of the Chilcoot Pass.

Jack Bird, son of the late Urban Bird of Alameda, and his aunt, Mrs. Gillan, of the Encinal, will start shortly for the Klondike to join Mr. Gillan, who is mining on El Dorado creek.

County Clerk Glass of Contra Costa county has issued a marriage license to John W. C. Nethercourt, aged 21, and Marie B. A. Marr, aged 20, both of Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smith and family will leave for their summer home on Long Island tomorrow evening.

Miss Esther Avery accompanied by Miss Leila Evans left last Friday on the steamer Columbia for the former's country home in Corvallis, Oregon. The young ladies went directly to Portland where they will remain for several days as the guests of Attorney and Mrs. Pipes, and from there they go to Corvallis for a visit of about two months.

Mrs. W. H. High who has been spending the past fortnight at Montague, Siskiyou county, as the guest of Mrs. Thomas Prather, returned home today. Mrs. Prather will not return at once.

"TERRIBLE SWEDE" IN MORE TROUBLE.

Jon Johnson Arrested for an Alleged Attempted Assault.

Jon Johnson, the erratic Swede, is in jail again. He was arrested yesterday on complaint of Mrs. Bonderheith of Forty-ninth street and Shattuck avenue. He will be charged with an attempted assault.

Mrs. Bonderheith is the wife of an employe at the Mare Island navy yards, and she says her husband will give Johnson a flogging when he hears of the Swede's conduct.

Johnson created a great deal of excitement two years ago and he served three months in the city prison for disturbing the peace. He was employed as a coachman at Thirteenth and Madison streets, where a Swedish servant girl, also named Johnson, was employed as a cook. Johnson annoyed the girl by his attentions and he was discharged.

A few days later Johnson went to the girl's room to steal some letters. As he was leaving the room he was seen by the girl, who screamed. Special Officer Shumer responded to the screams and as Johnson disappeared in the darkness Shumer fired a shot at the retreating form. The bullet lodged in Johnson's shoulder. Johnson fled to Alameda and the bullet was extracted by a friend. A week or so later Johnson was arrested and confessed. A charge of disturbing the peace was placed against him and he was convicted.

It was not long after his release that Johnson was caught pulling the pickets off the fence where the girl was working and he was again arrested and convicted. Since then, however, he has been comparatively quiet, although another coachman named Anderson made complaint against him last month. Anderson claimed that Johnson had threatened his life.

Frank Train, Yardmaster.

Frank Train has been appointed general yard master of the Southern Pacific yards in Oakland. His jurisdiction extends from Alameda through Fruitvale, East Oakland, Broadway, Sixteenth street and Berkeley, with the local work at Peralta street.

ALAMEDA COUNTY RECOGNIZED BY LEAGUE CLUBS.

James M. Oliver Elected Secretary of the Organization.

Interior Delegates Impressed With Claims of Local Candidates.

The State Convention of the League of Republican Clubs adjourned without day, yesterday afternoon. Though the convention could not take any definite action in matters political, it had the power, by virtue of its composition of delegates from all sections of the commonweath, to build better and stronger than its projectors knew—or perhaps desired.

If it accomplished nothing else, the convention of the State League of Republican Clubs has done this good thing—it has given to this county a more prominent place than it has ever held before in the councils of the Republican party, and with Alameda county stood Solano and the others of the Third Congressional District.

To the stranger, the most prominent and important factor in the convention was the delegation from Hilborn's district, and of that district the county constantly in evidence was Alameda, and the pervading thought of Alameda's delegates, taking rank almost as a principle, was, "We are after the Governorship."

The expression of all delegations, excepting those from the South was that Alameda county is entitled to name the candidate for the Governorship, and that no force or combination of aspirants can deprive her of that prerogative of superior party loyalty excepting a lack of unity in her delegation. If Alameda county presents a candidate with a unanimous endorsement and sufficient enthusiasm the Governorship will be given to it by the convention. Many of the Southern delegates, at the close of the convention admitted that the Governorship will probably go to the North, but they will make a strong fight for the Senatorship.

At the afternoon session the Convention listened to the reports of the committees and elected officers and delegates to the convention of the National Republican League Convention at Omaha. The Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

"The State League of Republican Clubs of California, in convention assembled this 1st day of June, 1898, as expressive of its views does hereby resolve:

"First.—That we renew our faith in and adherence to the national Republican platform adopted in St. Louis in June, 1896, and proclaim the same as the foundation stone upon which our league and its clubs do stand. That platform and the interpretation put upon it by our standard-bearers in 1896 was approved by the people in the election of that year, and we firmly believe it will be again approved in the election of 1898.

"Secondly.—We denounce the action of Governor Budd in vetoing the appropriation for the support of the State Printing Office as being injurious to the State and a direct assault upon the Constitutional requirement that the State shall publish its own school books, which requirement we fully indorse.

"Third—The wisdom of our nominations in 1896 has been proved by our successful candidates since March 4, 1897. Under the wise administration of the Republican party and its chosen officers our material prosperity has been greatly advanced, our population has steadily increased, our national credit has been restored and maintained, our revenues have been increased without any undue burden on any avocation or any disturbance of commerce, our gold reserve has been more than doubled our debts have been promptly paid, our national honor has been untarnished; wherefore we most heartily approve and indorse the unceasing devotion to the duties of the careful ministering to the needs of the whole country, the cautious manner in which entangling alliances have been avoided while the wishes of the people have been respected and obeyed, and the lofty patriotism and glorious Americanism that have marked every hour of the labors of our loved and honored President, William McKinley.

"Fourth—We recommend that all printed matter, printed stationery, all book-binding for this league or the officers thereof shall hereafter bear the label of the Allied Printing Trades Council.

"Fifth—The League of Republican clubs is established to aid the regularly constituted committees of the party, State, city and county, and as an adjunct thereto, and we urge upon all clubs and their individual members to cordially operate with and aid in all proper manner the said committees to the end that all Republicans may work in harmony for the success of the party and its candidates.

"Sixth—The recent events in the existing war with Spain and the hazardous trip of the battleship Oregon around the continent of South America have demonstrated the military necessity for the existence of a Nicaragua canal. We, therefore, advocate and recommend that the United States Government speedily open and maintain a ship canal through the isthmus of Nicaragua, and we urge the passage by Congress of appropriate legislation to secure that desired result.

"Seventh—That our organization observes with gratitude and pride the charitable and merciful offices and deeds of the Red Cross Society of California in cheering the hearts of our gallant soldiers and ministering to their needs in times of hardships and deprivation, and that we indorse and heartily recommend their work and indorse their request to the people generally because of their kindliness and humane act.

"Eighth—We are not a war-making people; the arts of peace are more suited to the great Republic than the weapons of conflict, but in the war that has been, after months of careful avoidance, forced upon our land by the wicked tyranny that has characterized the Spanish rule over Cuba—a war waged not for conquest but under the dictates of the loftiest humanity, to succor the distressed, to feed the starving, to free the victims of worse than savage rule—we behold the principle of liberty to the oppressed that animated our fathers in 1776 made a living reality by the people that know its blessings, and we pledge our loyal and unceasing efforts to make the war a glorious success, asking that it shall not cease until the valor of Sampson and Dewey and Schley and Miles and the soldiers and sailors of the United States, under the wise guidance of President McKinley, shall flaunt the Stars and Stripes over the walls on Manila, Porto Rico and the shores of Cuba.

"Ninth—We feel that the present war, though it may cost many millions of dollars and entail the loss of many brave men—will be worth much more than it cost by reason of the fact that in the fires of a foreign war we have burned all the sectional feeling of our country, and that now one flag, the Star-Spangled Banner, floats over a country that knows no North, no South, no East, no West."

Berkmaier of Alameda suggested that while words are sometimes eloquent, acts are more so, and he moved that the chairman be instructed to draw the check of the league in favor of the Red Cross League for $50. The motion prevailed.

The election of league officers and delegates at large to the National Convention at Omaha was declared in order.

For president, Colonel Holabird of Los Angeles nominated Colonel George Stone. There being no other nominees, Stone was elected by acclamation. He was received with cheers, and retiring President Kinney turned over the gavel to him, after having thanked the officers and members of the league for their encouragement and support during his term of office. Stone thanked the convention for its generous treatment of him and immediately proceeded to the next order of business.

For first vice president, Johnson of Sacramento nominated, on behalf of the Second district, Judge Swinnerton of Stockton. The nomination was seconded by McLachlin and others and the nominee elected by acclamation.

For second vice president Martin Murray of San Francisco nominated A. M. Galvin. Captain Seamans of Sacramento placed J. P. Bushnell of Los Angeles in nomination. Galvin withdrew and Bushnell was elected by acclamation.

The office of secretary called out more candidates and some spirited competition for the place from an oratorical standpoint. Wright of Alameda nominated "that ideal Republican, educated, brave, intrepid and loyal to his friends, James M. Oliver." The nomination was seconded by Oscar Tolle of this city, who had been an aspirant for the office himself.

Martin Murray of San Francisco named Daniel Webster McNeill; J. C. Campbell, on behalf of the Continental League, named Hamilton J. Riggins; Galvin of San Francisco nominated A. de la Torre. McNeill and Torre were subsequently withdrawn. The convention proceeded to vote by clubs and districts, but the vote was so overwhelmingly in favor of Oliver that Riggins withdrew and the Alameda man was elected by acclamation.

For assistant secretary, McNoble of Stockton nominated Albert Lindsey of Sacramento, who was chosen by acclamation.

For treasurer, Schooler of San Francisco nominated I. J. Truman of this city, and he, in turn, was elected by acclamation.

Bruner of Sacramento presented the following report of the committee on constitution, which was adopted without debate by a unanimous vote:

"Constitution of State League of Republican Clubs.

"Article 1—This organization shall be known as the 'California League of Republican Clubs.'

"Art. 2—The object of the league is to promote the success of the Republican party.

"Art. 3—This league shall be composed of Republican clubs organized within the State of California and affiliating with the National League of Republican Clubs.

"Art. 4—The officers shall be a president, a first vice president, a second vice president, a secretary, an assistant secretary and a treasurer, all of whom shall be elected by the State Convention for two years and until their successors are elected and qualified.

"Art. 5—The State shall be divided into as many district leagues as there are Congressional districts, and each district league may elect such officers as it may decide. The president of each Congressional district league shall be ex-officio vice president of the State League, and also a member of the executive committee and a delegate to the State Conventions.

"Art. 6—The president of the State League is authorized to appoint the following standing committees:

"An executive committee of two from each Congressional district.

"A finance committee of two from each Congressional district.

"A committee on club work and organization of one from each county.

"Art. 7—The executive committee shall have the general management of the affairs of the league when the convention is not in session, and shall be subject to the direction of the convention. It shall have the control of all funds of the league, and shall from time to time prescribe the duties of the other standing committees.

"Art. 8—A convention of the California League of Republican Clubs shall be held once in two years at such time and place as may be chosen by the preceding convention, or failing such action on the part of any convention then by the executive committee.

"Art. 9—In the alternate year, when no general convention is held, it will be the duty of the president to call a general meeting of all standing committees, and at this meeting delegates to the National Republican League Convention may be chosen, and such other business transacted as may be considered for the interest of the organization.

"Art. 10—The basis of representation for State conventions shall be one at large from each club and one for each twenty-five members."

Six delegates at large to the National Convention were elected, as follows: A. W. Kinney, Los Angeles; C. F. Curry, San Francisco; Judge E. C. Park, Sacramento; Judge Frank H. Short, Fresno; W. Seabury, San Joaquin; Charles H. Spear, Alameda.

On motion of Coombs of Napa the delegates were instructed to present the name of A. W. Kinney, the retiring president, to the National Convention as vice president for California.

The committee on resolutions, which had retired with the amendment to the platform proposed by Wolfe, returned and recommended that the resolution be referred to the Republican State Convention. This was accepted by Delegate Wolfe, and the original report of the resolutions committee was adopted.

On motion of Morton of San Francisco the delegates gave three cheers for President McKinley and the Republican party, and the convention adjourned sine die shortly after 5 P. M.

Delegates to the Republican National League Convention, which is to meet in Omaha on July 15th, met last evening in the Baldwin Hotel and decided to make a united effort in behalf of the State. The delegation will work for the election of Colonel George Stone as president of the national organization, and will also endeavor to secure the National League Convention of 1899 for San Francisco.

Diplomas Granted.

The California School of Mechanical Arts held its graduating exercises in San Francisco yesterday and the following students from Alameda county received diplomas:

Course of Industrial Art—Louis R. Samish of Alameda.

Machine Shop Course—Roy C. Hackley and George D. Morse of Berkeley.

Collegiate Preparatory Course—Cornelius S. Bendel and Sterns H. Stone of Oakland.

Certificate of Preliminary Course—Gertrude E. Dillon of Golden Gate; George H. Senger of Berkeley.

RED CROSS THANKS THE CITY COUNCIL.

The Society Pleased by the Donation of $100.

Cheer the Donors With a Will at the Meeting Today.

The Red Cross Society extended a hearty vote of thanks to the City Council this morning for its appropriation of $100 from the general funds for the use of the society in aiding the National Guards. When the announcement of the appropriation was made, the ladies gave three cheers for the council.

Another vote of thanks was extended to M. S. Smith & Company for a donation of desk supplies for use at the Society's headquarters.

Mrs. John Bakewell who has been working on the Emergency Committee which gives a lunch to the incoming soldiers, made an interesting report this morning. She complimented her associates and the chairman, Mrs. Isaac Requa, under whose executive ability, she said it was a pleasure to work. The soldiers always asked for the tables of the Oakland ladies which were always spread.

Mrs. Bakewell paid a warm tribute to Mrs. W. T. Veitch whom she said acted as a soldiers' mother giving the boys advice and aid in many little ways. If they were sick, they came to her for medicine. Two soldiers suffering from sore throats had applied to Mrs. Requa and Mrs. Veitch for help and the ladies had given the boys flannel and medicine. A San Francisco young lady was providing each soldier with a postal card on arrival and the boys were thus given an opportunity to write home at once. The San Francisco Postal Union had agreed to give a liberal donation to this young lady to buy postal cards.

Mrs. Bakewell said that as the new ferry building was passed over to the Commissioners today, the ladies would in the future serve lunch in the old postal building.

Mrs. Granville Abbott again asked that all ladies who were willing to aid the Emergency Committee to give their names and addresses to her.

Mrs. H. M. Sanborn said that the chaplain of the Christian Endeavor headquarters had asked for donations of lamps and literature for use in the tents erected at each encampment by the society.

On the motion of Mrs. J. B. Dayton, seconded by Mrs. J. G. Lemmon, contributions of foreign literature, especially German, will be solicited for the benefit of the foreign soldiers.

Mrs. John Russ chairman of the Record Committee asked that a careful record be kept of all applications for relief made by soldiers' families at the headquarters.

She also announced that the Record Committee would meet tomorrow at 3:30 P. M. at the residence of Mrs. Emma Shafter Howard, 1206 Alice street, to outline its plans for this work. The young ladies who have formed an independent society for the same work have been invited to attend tomorrow's meeting and to co-operate with the Record Committee. Miss Irene Baker who is president of the younger organization has called a meeting of the members at her home this afternoon where they will decide whether or not they will affiliate with the Red Cross Society.

The Red Cross Society has decided to meet on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for the present but owing to the pressing need for flannel bandages, tomorrow's regular business meeting will not be held but instead, the ladies will sew.

Dr. Myra Knox, chairman of the committee on bandages, announces that she has received a communication from Army headquarters in San Francisco requesting that all abdominal bandages for the soldiers be delivered at the camp before Saturday. She desires that all persons working on bandages have them finished and delivered at the workroom in the First Presbyterian Church not later than tomorrow noon, when the work will be shipped across the bay.

Mrs. F. B. Ginn, the assistant treasurer, made the following financial report this morning: Previously reported, $4,201.44; additional contributions—E. M. Chalbot, $5; Lafayette School, $8.20; Mizpah Christian Endeavorers, $5; Mrs. G. C. Morrison, $5; A. B. Sevanger, $1; Cecil Graham, $1; enrollments, $12; First Congregational Church, cash, $79.20 (pledges, $5.50); total, $4,315.84.

FRUITVALE RED CROSS.

The ladies of Fruitvale have formed an auxiliary Red Cross League to co-operate with the Oakland organization. At their first meeting last week Mrs. Henry Steinegger was elected president Mrs. C. N. Farnum vice-president, and Mrs. Henry Wetherbee financial secretary. Meetings are held regularly at the home of Mrs. Wetherbee. Bandages, night caps and comfort bags are being rapidly made and sent to the Red Cross Society there. Miss Steinegger has been collecting funds for the Fruitvale League, and out of $22 secured has purchased $18 worth of flannel.

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Small Hope That the Two Taylor Brothers Are Alive.

Nothing further has been heard of Fred S. and Edward M. Taylor, brothers of Samuel M. Taylor of the Realty Syndicate, and it is feared that they went down with the ill-fated schooner Jane Gray off Cape Flattery. Both the missing men are members of the S. P. Taylor Paper Company and are well known throughout the State.

Last spring a friend of the Taylors came out of the Kotzebue sound country with $50,000, and with such accounts of the placers from which it came as to lead to the formation of the little party which sailed on the Jane Gray. Several times the Taylors wrote from Seattle to their brothers here, James and Frank L., telling of their preparations for the trip and describing, among other things, how they had examined the schooner and satisfied themselves that she was sound and seaworthy.

Though they are hoping almost against hope that there may yet come to them cheering news, the surviving Taylor brothers are beside themselves with grief. The evil tidings came to them yesterday, first in a telegram from Charles W. Wilkinson, who is among the rescued. Later, Frank Taylor received a telegram from H. H. Eaton at Seattle advising him, in effect, not to give up his brothers as lost, since there was a chance that they might have escaped.

Fred Taylor was about 30 years of age. He leaves a widow, formerly Miss Katherine Eagleson, and two young children, living on Webster street, near Geary. Edward's widow, who was Miss Eleanor Martell, resides on Webster street, near Fell.

CLASS DAY AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

"Cupid and Psyche Up to Date" Made a Big Hit.

The High School gymnasium was crowded last evening when the graduating class presented its class day farce. The gymnasium had been attractively decorated with bamboo, ferns and American flags. Members of the senior class who were not participating in the farce acted as ushers, and music was furnished by the High School orchestra.

A clever farce, "Cupid and Psyche up to Date," written by Miss Zoe Ackerman, a member of the class, was presented. The farce was in three acts with a graceful prologue in verse, recited by Miss Ethel Haas, who gave an excellent interpretation of the verses telling the classic story of the love god and Psyche.

The farce was an up-to-date burlesque on the old love story and was laughable and original. There was very little plot to the story, the author adhering mainly to the ancient idea of the troubles of the Olympian lovers, making Psyche suffer not only on account of her curiosity but also from her mother-in-law's jealousy. Cupid, who was a camera fiend, was cleverly played by Parker Holt, while Miss Mamie Bright Wallace made a bewitching Psyche. The love scenes between the two were always heartily applauded. Bessie Pratt as Hebe, made a decided hit. As an up-to-date waitress she was roguish, inquisitive and comical. The part was a small one, but Miss Pratt managed to infuse it with a distinct and unique personality. Mabel Robinson as Mrs. Haggerty, has the humorous role of an old apple woman and her make-up and her brogue were capital. Kathleen Kent made a pretty and attractive fortune teller. Grace Avery and Elizabeth Kinsey, as Psyche's jealous sisters from San Francisco, were decidedly clever. There were about twenty speaking parts and all the young actors acquitted themselves creditably. Miss Susie Hobart had coached them for their parts.

At the end of the performance an informal reception was held on the stage and the authoress and players received numerous congratulations.

Following was the cast of characters: Cupid, Parker Holt; Minos, Pope Hartman; Cadmus, Roy Cavalry; Pan, Fred Roseberry; tramp, Harry Thorsings; newsboys, Arthur Wheeler, Harry Stevens, Charles Lisser, Raymond Bailey; Chinaman, Henry Frank; fisherman, Sydney Smith; ragamuffin, Alma Pettis; Psyche, M. Bright Wallace; Medusa, Grace Avery; Dino, Elizabeth Kinsey; Mrs. Venus, Gwendolen Jones; Mrs. Haggerty, Mabel Robinson; fortune teller, Katherine Kent; Hebe, Bessie Pratt.

State Endeavor Convention.

Alameda county will send a large delegation to the State Christian Endeavor convention, which meets in Los Angeles June 23d. The transportation manager has secured special railroad rates of one and one-half fare for the round trip. The northern delegates expect to be entertained at the homes of the southern members during convention week.

Acme Club Dance.

The Acme Club will give its first annual masquerade ball at Germania Hall next Saturday evening.

The management has provided valuable prizes for best group of masqueraders, best sustained lady and gentleman's characters, best dancers and best couples.

Kuck's Inlet

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RIVAL EDITORS ARE STRUGGLING FOR SUPREMACY

To Fuse or Not to Fuse is the Question.

Troublous Times in the People's Party Central Committee.

There was a "monkey and parrot" time at the meeting of the People's Party Central Committee last evening. It was all over fusion, and Editors Gregory of Events and Bretz of Industry crossed swords, and wished, possibly, that the Popocratic rules of disorder admitted the utilization of material battleaxes.

Committeeman Read started the ball rolling by talking some ancient history or the joys of fusion in 1896. Evidently retrospection had few charms for Mr. Read, who is for reform with a wood-type "R." He wants a straight-out Populistic fight without any "cratic" tail to it. Which is why he wants the Pops to do their own popping without any "Dem" nonsense added. The following resolutions had his sympathy and supporting vote:

"Resolved, That inasmuch as the People's Party is a distinct political party advocating reformatory principles totally unlike those of Republican or Democratic parties, therefore we deem it not only expedient but destructive both to our organization and our principles to fuse, co-operate, or in any way associate with either of the two old parties.

"Resolved, That the present duty of the People's Party is to reassert its principles and prove to the country that it is in no way allied to either of the old parties and worthy of the support of true reformers."

It was the opinion of some of the members that the resolution should be sent to the various clubs for action to ascertain the sense of the party at large before the committee took action.

The middle-of-the-road contingent, though in the majority, conceded that the resolutions should be sent to the various clubs to adopt or reject them and report the result of their action to the Central Committee.

The cause of war was then stated to be the seating of the delegates from the Forty-eighth Assembly District.

Editor Gregory forced the fighting in the first round by reaching for Editor Bretz with a verbal right-hander. Bretz he said, had made statements reflecting on the integrity of the editor of Events. Editor Bretz countered with a feint at asking a question, which was stopped cleverly by Gregory, who rushed Bretz clear to the ropes with a motion to adjourn.

Gregory had his man going, when Bretz's second, Frickstad, interposed himself between them with an amendment.

Time was called and the meeting adjourned for a week.

At the next meeting there will probably be another demonstration of Populistic harmony.

Firemen's Fund

The Firemen's Relief Association recently reorganized among members of the Oakland Fire Department, will be given a benefit at the Oakland Theater the evening of June 9th. Besides the regular play of the evening there will b a number of specialties between the acts b ylocal talent. The firemen are anxious to build up their relief fund so that they will be able to care for their sick and disabled, and it is expected that their friends will turn out in large numbers at their benefit next week.

Grand Jury Adjourned

The Grand Jury, which was in session yesterday, has adjourned until June 21st. The expert, Wm. Dunshee, is going over the books of the accounts of the County Infirmary.

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